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108 KILLED IN AERIAL RAID ON BRITISH TOWN

English Sailors Victims of an Air Attack on Naval Base Near London

London, Sept. 4.—In last night's air raid 107 persons were killed and 86 wounded at Chatham, it is announced officially.

The victims were naval ratings. Six airplanes took part in the raid.

SIX AIRPLANES USED.

In addition to the naval casualties, one civilian was killed and six were injured. The announcement follows:

"Lord French (commander of the British Home Forces) reports that last night's air raid was carried out by about six enemy airplanes which proceeded up the south bank of the Thames estuary to Chatham. Bombs were dropped in the Isle of Thanet and in the Sheerness-Chatham area between 10:40 p. m. and 11:30 p. m. There were no army casualties. Civilian casualties reported at present are:

"Killed, 1; injured, 6.

"The material damage was slight. Our machines went up and anti-aircraft guns came into action, but without result.

"The secretary of the admiralty reports that in the course of the air raid last night the following casualties were caused to naval ratings: Killed, 107; wounded, 86."

HEARD ENGINE NOISE.

London, Sept. 4.—Reports received here from southeast coast towns say that during Monday night's raid the air along the coast and for some miles inland resounded with the noise of aircraft engines. One of the raiders passed over a coast town headed southward, its engine making the loudest noise ever heard there from an aircraft. The sound resembled the noise of a Zeppelin, and came from a great height.

CHATHAM THIRTY MILES FROM LONDON

Chatham is on the east bank of the Medway, thirty miles southeast of London. It is the seat of immense military and naval establishments, including a vast dock yard, an arsenal and extensive barracks.

The term naval ratings applies to the grade of men on board ship, usually those before the mast.

BRAIN BOMBS ON AUSTRIAN FLEET

Rome, Sept. 4 via London—Thirty Italian airplanes dropped tons of bombs on the Austrian naval base at Pola, causing destruction and large conflagrations, it is announced officially.

The bombs were dropped on the Austrian fleet at anchor and also on military works.

All the Italian machines, although determinedly attacked, returned safely.

The artillery fire has grown heavier on the Julian front, says the official announcement.

ALL GREECE ARMING TO FIGHT GERMANS

Washington, D. C. Sept. 4.—The Greek army has been fighting side by side with the international expedition in Macedonia since last January, and the whole nation is now making ready its entire strength for the prosecution of the war against the central empires, George Rousses, the new Greek minister to the United States, declared yesterday.

British Casualties 15,614 In Week

London, Sept. 4.—British casualties reported in the last week are 15,614. They are divided as follows:

Killed or died of wounds: officers, 904; men, 3,880.

Wounded or missing: Officers, 846; men, 10,024.

RUSSIANS HURL TURK TROOPS BACK

Constantinople, Monday, Sept. 3, via London, Sept. 4 — Russian troops in northwestern Persia have been pressed back by the Turks, the war office announces. A Turkish detachment advancing in an easterly direction from Merivan is reported to have occupied Garata bridge.

Foil Plot to Kill Canadian Premier

Montreal, Sept. 4.—Frustration of plots to assassinate Sir Robert Borden, premier of Canada, and Arthur Meighan, solicitor general, and to dynamite the parliament buildings at Ottawa was announced by the police today as having been effected by the arrest of anti-conscriptionist agitators alleged to have been responsible for the blowing up about a month ago of the summer home of Lord Atholstan.

War News Summary

While the major operation of the Germans in the Riga district on the Russian front and the great Italian campaign for Triest continue to furnish the chief developments of military interest the German authorities have caused a momentary diversion by directing a spectacular raid on the English coast, apparently directed at one of the principal British naval bases.

Whether British naval property suffered to any extent from the raid has not yet been apparent. It is known, however, that airplanes engaged in the operation reached Chatham, the site of extensive military and naval establishments, 30 miles southeast of London, and that 107 men of the naval establishment were killed and 86 wounded.

All the six German machines participating in the raid appear to have escaped, although they were engaged by British air forces and anti-aircraft guns as they swept up the Thames Estuary to Chatham.

Meanwhile the Italian air service seems to have effected notable damage upon the Austrian naval base at Pola. Rome reports today the dropping of nine tons of bombs by thirty Italian airplanes on Pola, causing heavy damage and large fires.

Press dispatches from the Austro-Italian front report the Italians continuing their steady advance in the operation for Triest, pushing their lines ahead in the Brestovizza valley, in the district south of Gorizia and working further forward eastward over the great Bainsizza plateau. The fall of Monte San Gabrile, the chief remaining vantage point of the Austrians, aside from their Carso strongholds, is considered only a matter of time, as the Italians continue steadily creeping up its slopes.

There has been no renewal of the Flanders fighting on a large scale as yet, although the intensity of the artillery fire suggests that this is impending. The British however, are biting further into the German positions at points on this front, and today a slight advance of the British lines northeast of St. Julien is announced.

British Army Officers To Train Sammies

By Associated Press.

AMERICAN TRAINING CAMP IN FRANCE, Sept. 4.—It is announced that a number of British army officers will soon be attached to the American expeditionary force to assist in training the Americans who will thus get the advantage of the best points of both the French and British tactics. It is considered probable that many of the British officers selected for this assignment will be Americans who have been serving in the British or French divisions.

PRACTICE BARRAGE FIRE.

American soldiers on Wednesday will see men advance under artillery barrage fire for the first time. It will, of course, be only a practice barrage, but the French division training the Americans will lay a curtain of fire as if under actual battle conditions, and will show their American students how closely infantry can follow a protecting wall of fire when properly trained artillerymen are directing it.

MICHAELIS BACK IN BERLIN AGAIN

Amsterdam, Sept. 4.—The German chancellor, Dr. Georg Michaelis, has returned to Berlin after a trip of five days to Belgium, and the western front.

FRENCH CHECK GERMAN ATTACK

Paris Sept. 4.—Attacks were made by the Germans last night on the French lines in the Hurtebise region on the Aisne front, and east of the Meuse in the Verdun sector. The war office announced today that both were checked by the French fire.

Raids by French troops at Sapigneul, between Souain and Somme-Py in the Champagne and in the Argonne region resulted in the capture of prisoners and material.

Refused To Make Restricted Speech

Frank Comerford, Labor Lawyer, Shows His Colors.

Bloomington, Sept. 4.—The refusal of Frank D. Comerford of Chicago to deliver his speech was the feature of the Labor Day celebration in this city.

Mr. Comerford was the speaker of the day, and had intended to give a patriotic address. The committee in charge of the speaking informed him, according to Chairman Patterson, that there was no objection to a patriotic address, but that there must be no denunciation of any nationalities, as it would tend to cause dissention in the ranks of organized labor. Mr. Comerford, according to Mr. Patterson, then declined to deliver his address.

GIVES HIS VERSION.

Chicago, Sept. 4.—Frank Comerford, labor attorney, and scheduled orator of the day at the allied labor meeting at Bloomington, gave his version of why he did not speak at the meeting as follows:

"A committee of eleven representatives of unions waited on me and informed me that as they were opposed to the war I should make no reference in any speech to the attitude of labor toward the world struggle in which we are engaged. I would not agree to such a condition. Members of the committee said there was nothing personal in their attitude that their units esteemed highly but as they were unequivocally opposed to the war as a capitalistic war I must give them a decisive answer. I am satisfied that there was no personal motive behind their attitude, for I had been attorney in a number of cases for labor unions or their members and I believe they do like me. 'But I told the committee I could accept no such restrictions: that I believed labor as a whole was not opposed to the war; that I certainly was not, and that I believed those who were had a mistaken idea of the attitude they should assume. I said my answer to their proposition, therefore, must be an emphatic 'no.' That ended the interview and I returned here at once."

CAMP DODGE READY FOR DRAFTED MEN

Des Moines, Ia., Sept. 4.—Reports of a shortage of supplies at Camp Dodge, the thirteenth division cantonment, were answered today by camp officials, who said ample provision had been made to accommodate the first increment of drafted men.

A number of non-commissioned officers arrived today, and prepared to assist in handling the men who will begin to arrive tomorrow. It probably will be five days before the last of the first five per cent of the quota of men assigned to the camp is in quarters.

Brigadier generals, with their staffs, moved into brigade headquarters today, while finishing touches were being put on regimental headquarters, which are expected to be entirely completed by tomorrow.

Two hundred officers ordered transferred to the 33rd National Guard division have left for Houston Texas.

BREMEN TRADERS PROTEST REPLY

Amsterdam, Sept. 4.—According to advices received here from Bremen, President Wilson's reply to Pope Benedict's peace proposals was the occasion of a demonstration on the Bourse there yesterday. After a speech by Herr Faberius, president of the Chamber of Commerce, it was resolved to send the following to the Emperor:

"Bremen merchants raise an indignant protest against President Wilsons' hypocritical reply to the Pope, in which he professes to combat the German government in order to drive the American people with whom Germany never had a quarrel, into a war which they reject. It is an impudent and brazen attempt to sow dissension between the government and the people, and in the German nation, while by British arbitrariness our non-combatants, children and women, are cut off from all outside supplies in order to exhaust the nation by hunger."

BIG SETBACK IN STOCK ISSUES

New York, Sept. 4.—One of the most severe setbacks the stock market has had in several months occurred today when prices broke five to ten points under feverish liquidation, the market being all but demoralized during the last hour.

TE NORWEGIAN SHIPS SUNK IN AUGUST

London, Sept. 4.—According to Norwegian advices 21 Norwegian merchant ships with an aggregate tonnage of more than 41,000 tons were lost in August. Twenty three seamen were killed and five are missing.

RUSSIAN SITUATION IS WORLD PROBLEM

Envoy To U. S. Says Future Relations Between Nations Rest On Success Of Reconstruction.

Saratoga Springs, N. Y., Sept. 4.—Discussing the reconstruction period through which Russia is now going, "emerging from the crucible of the revolution" Boris A. Bakhmetieff, Russian ambassador to the United States, in an address here today before the judicial section of the American Bar association, declared that "the outcomings of the process now going on in Russia will determine the whole future relations between nations; on these issues will depend largely the future of the world.

COMPLETE REORGANIZATION.

"Russia," he continued, "is facing now the complete reorganization of the whole edifice of its national life. All the branches of government and public activity, the financial and economic system, the very habits and customs of life are to be moulded in the spirit of the new freedom. Public and judicial institutions, civil and criminal law, finance, industry and commerce—all these manifold exertions of state life will have to be remodeled, and form the future edifice of state—a reality embodying the great principles of liberty and democracy."

In this process of remodeling the ambassador declared "The old institutions which for centuries have exemplified political serfdom and economical inefficiency," will be done away with forever.

ESTABLISH CONSTITUTION.

The first step in the work, the speaker said, will be the establishment of a "constitution" and the determination of such fundamental laws will be accomplished by a "constituent assembly."

SUCCESS HINGES ON ELECTIONS.

In outlining the probable method Russia will adopt for her elections, the Ambassador emphasized the importance of using the greatest care, as the whole of the future existence of the nation will depend on its outworkings.

The final election system to be used in Russia has not been settled as yet, the speaker said. The future structure of local government in Russia, however, will be accomplished by the greatest decentralization.

In touching on the present condition of unrest in Russia, the speaker said:

"I am confident of being right when characterizing the centrifugal forces, which are being exhibited now in Russia, as one of the infant diseases which, as many others, will disappear, and let us hope, forever in the sparkling light of liberty and exuberant atmosphere of democracy."

Wilson Leads Draft Parade

Uncle Joe Cannon and Champ Clark March to Honor Conscripts.

Washington, Sept. 4—The vanguard of the National Army was being honored throughout the country today with demonstrations to celebrate the eve of departure of the first drafted men to the cantonments.

Typifying the spirit of the nation sending forth its sons to battle for democracy, the capitol gave itself over to a great public demonstration in which President Wilson, Congress and all the heads of the Government were leaders.

1,400 DRAFTED MEN IN LINE.

The place of honor in a procession between Peace Monument at the foot of the Capitol, to the White House was reserved for the 1,400 drafted men comprising the District of Columbia's first contribution to the National Army.

WILSON HEADS PARADE.

Led by President Wilson and escorted by senators and representatives, sailors, soldiers and marines men of the officers' training camp at Fort Myer and thousands of their fellow citizens, the National Army men marched between lines of cheering thousands, bidding them God speed on the first steps of their journey to France.

BLUE AND GRAY.

Exemplifying the united nation, the civil war veterans of the Senate had a place of honor. Senators Warren and Nelson, of the Union Army and Senators Bankhead and Martin, of the Confederate Army, marched together, but there was only one flag fluttering above them — everywhere over the winding, tramping column of thousands—it was the Stars and Stripes.

All government offices, closed for the occasion, poured out their thousands to join the procession.

"UNCLE JOE" MARCHED.

The Senate was led by Senator Saulsbury, president protempore and the House by Speaker Champ Clark, and "Uncle Joe" Cannon, both of whom refused to ride, despite their advanced age.

WILSON TO REVIEW PARADE.

As the van of the column reached the White House, the President entered the reviewing stand. With him were Viscount Ishii, special ambassador from Japan, and the member of the Japanese Mission, the French ambassador and Mme. Jusserand, the Mexican ambassador and Senora Bonillas and other members of the diplomatic corps.

SECOND NEW YORK PARADE.

New York, Sept. 4.—For the second time within a week New York today honored her fighting men when several thousand future soldiers, who were called to the colors under the selective draft law paraded up Fifth Avenue preparatory to leaving for their training camp. Not all of the men in the parade were undrilled, although marched without uniforms. One company of 250 men which has been drilling for the last week, were prepared to give a demonstration of what can be accomplished in so short a time.

Danish Leaders Praises Wilson Reply

Copenhagen, Sept. 4.—T. Stauning, Socialist member of the Danish cabinet and leader of that party in Parliament, finds much to approve in President Wilson's reply to the Pope's peace proposal. In a statement to The Associated Press, Minister Stauning said:

"I am glad to have an opportunity to say a few words about President Wilson's answer to the Pope, particularly as I have learned that with regard to my feelings toward the United States a misunderstanding recently has spread.

"I am of the opinion that President Wilson's answer to the Pope's message is a highly promising sign and I see from it what I had expected, that Mr. Wilson does not wish the war to be continued to the end where there will be victors and defeated."

CHICAGO COUNCIL CENSURES MAYOR

40 Of 48 At Meeting Commend Lowden.

Chicago, Sept. 4.—A vote which served as a test at the special meeting of the city council this afternoon indicated that of the 48 aldermen present at the time of the vote forty were in favor of the resolution commending Governor Lowden (and by implication censuring the mayor) for his stand against pacifist agitation.

MAY OUST MAYOR.

Chicago, Sept. 4.—Following the apparent peaceful adjournment of the People's Council of America for Democracy and Term of Peace, Illinois officials are today conferring on their next step.

Samuel Insull, chairman of the Illinois State Council of Defense, who has been on a lake trip, returned to Chicago this morning prepared to take the matter up with the council, but on conferring with Governor Lowden decided that no action was necessary immediately on the grounds that neither the government nor the city officials have yet made known their plans.

That Mayor William Hale Thompson will be held accountable for permitting an illegal gathering is intimated in several quarters. The National Defense League and several local organizations are holding meetings today, at which resolutions will be presented criticizing Mayor Thompson. Several members of the city council have been quoted as saying that they will ask that the body declare the mayor's office vacated.

With the militia ordered here Sunday afternoon still in the city, Louis Lochner, secretary of the People's Council announced that it had completed its business, and that the meeting was adjourned.

DEFEAT OBJECTORS TO WAR PROFIT TAX

Washington, Sept. 4.—The group fighting the finance committee's scheme of war profits taxation was defeated again today when the senate rejected Senator Hollis' proposal to strike out the finance committee's new compromise provision extending the war profits taxes to peace profits over ten per cent, estimated to raise $426,000,000 additional.

Immediately after disposing of Senator Hollis' proposal, the senate rejected, 50 to 18, an amendment by Senator La Follette to levy a flat increase of sixty per cents on war profits, designed to raise not less than $1,800,000,000.

PREACHER ON TRIAL FOR AX MURDER

Red Oak, Ia., Sept. 4.—Trial of Rev. Lyn George J. Kelly on an indictment charging him with the murder of one of the eight persons slain with an ax at Villisca, Ia., the night of June 9, 1912, began at 10:10 a. m. in the district court here today.

The defendant brought here shortly after midnight from Logan, Ia., where he has been in jail since his arrest last May, was smiling when he was brought into the court room, closely followed by his wife.

Rioters Wreck 6 Street Cars

17 Arrests Made Following Renewal Of Car Strike Outbreak.

Springfield, Sept. 4.—Seventeen men are under arrest here today and more warrants are to be issued growing out of rioting last night by street car strike sympathizers in which six cars were demolished or damaged and the big plate glass windows of the company's offices down town were smashed to pieces, entailing damage estimated at $15,000.

CELEBRATORS STARTED RIOT.

Violence had its inception when several hundred men, returning from a Labor day celebration at Bloomington, reached the city at 9:30 o'clock last night. According to A. D. Mackie, general manager of the street car company, many of the leaders of the mob were under the influence of liquor obtained at Bloomington.

SOLDIERS HELPLESS.

The few soldiers of the Ninth and Tenth infantry regiments placed about the city were helpless to cope with the rioters until reinforced.

By 11 p. m. enough troops had been summoned from the state arsenal and Camp Lincoln to be effective, and a mob of a thousand hooting, shouting men engaged in the demolition of the utility company's building front scattered when charged upon by the soldiers with bayonets fixed.

LET CARS RUN WILD.

Before this time, street cars in the downtown district had been attacked, crews taken off and the cars themselves sent speeding down the streets to crash into other cars, or leave the track at curves.

The men arrested by soldiers and deputy sheriffs, many of them, it was stated, were caught in the act of hurling stones into the company's building, or of destroying displays there. They were prevented from gaining entrance to the building itself by the small squad of guardsmen who menaced them with bayonets.

A. D. Mackie, of the company said he would ask that guardsmen be placed on street cars tonight.

TO PROTECT FAIR VISITORS.

Plans are on foot to assure adequate protection to street cars during the state fair which opens Friday and continues until Sept. 15, Secretary Davidson of the fair board, said today.

"Governor Lowden has assured me that soldiers will preserve order while the fair is in session," Mr. Davidson stated.

An unidentified member of the mob was shot in the leg by a soldier at Fifth and Washington streets but managed to escape from authorities. Deputy sheriffs expect to place him under arrest today.

Not since the riot of 1908 have similar scenes been enacted. The mob leaders, perhaps fifty in number, sought the life of General Manager A. D. Mackie of the local utilities company. They led the howling mob to the St. Nicholas hotel, but soon departed, when assured that Mackie was not at the hotel.

RIOTOUS NEGRO TROOPS TO ORIENT

San Antonio, Tex., Sept. 4. — The Twenty-fourth Negro infantry, members of which engaged in the race riot in Houston, Tex., will be sent to the Philippines, it was stated here yesterady.

The 160 members of the battalion of the Twenty-fourth who defied their officers and quit Camp Logan to march on Houston, causing a battle in which eighteen died and thirty were wounded, will be kept in this country for court martial. The military trial will be held soon at Fort Bliss.

The Negroes, held in a stockade at El Paso, are reported to be sullen. They are guarded closely.

Six members of the Twenty-fourth infantry who clashed with the civil police and the troops sent to subdue them at Waco on the night of July 29 were found guilty of violation of the ninety-third article of war before the general court martial held recently at Camp Macarthur, Waco. Five of the men were sentenced to five years at hard labor in the United States penitentiary at Leavenworth, Kas. The sixth man received ten years.

All were sentenced also to be dishonorably discharged and to forfeit all pay and allowances due, or to become due while in confinement under the sentence.

KAISER, AS USUAL, INVOKES GOD'S AID

Berlin, Sept. 4.—(Via London).—Emperor William has sent the following telegram to the Empress:

"Field Marshal Prince Leopold, of Bavaria reports the capture of Riga by our troops, which is a new milestone of German strength and unerring will to victory. May God help us further."

The Emperor has telegraphed Prince Leopold as follows:

"On the occasion of the capture of Riga I express to you and to the Eighth Army my and the fatherland's congratulations and thanks. Far-seeing leadership and steel-hard will to victory guaranteed this fine success. Onward with God."

RUSSIANS FLEE RIGA SECTION

Pressed By Germans, Retirement From Baltic Port Region Continues.

Petrograd, Sept. 4.—The Russian retirement in the Riga region is being continued along the coast in a northeasterly direction, the war office announced today.

In the Uxkull district the Russians are retiring northward, on being dislodged by the Germans in the Jaegel river region.

Hostile ships are shelling the Riga coast, the announcement adds.

Civilians Fled 3 Weeks Ago

Washington, Sept. 4. — Riga was evacuated by the civilian population, and foreign consuls three weeks ago. This was the news contained in the official dispatches surrounded with so much mystery at the time, and over which so much uneasiness was felt.

Official reiteration was made today by Secretary Lansing of a confidence in the strength of Russia. The evacuation of Riga was characterized as a development about which it was impossible to predict just what effect it would have, although the inclination was to assume that it would greatly impair or alter the situation since other lines of defenses remained.

SEVERAL THOUSAND RUSSIANS TAKEN

Berlin, Sept. 4, via London—Several thousand Russians were taken prisoner by the Germans in their advance in the Riga region, army headquarters announced today. More than 150 guns were captured by the German forces in the great Jaegel river district.

REPORT MANY FIRES IN CITY OF RIGA

Berlin, Sept. 4.—(Via London)—The city of Riga was on fire at many points when it was taken by the German forces, today's army headquarters statement announces.

EX-CZAR'S BROTHER HELD FOR RUSS PLOT

Petrograd, Sept. 4.—Grand Duke Michaelis Alexandrovitch, brother of the former emperor, and his wife, have been placed under arrest in connection with the counter-revolutionary plot recently unearthed.

According to the Den, Grand Duke Dmitri-Paulovitch also has been arrested.

FORMER CZARINA SERIOUSLY ILL

Petrograd, Sept. 4. — The former czarina, Maria Feodorovna Romanoff, is seriously ill, it was learned yesterday.

The Russian ex-empress accompanied Nicholas Romanoff when the latter was transferred recently from the prison-palace at Tsarskoe-Selo to Tobolsk, Siberia.

Uncle Sam Only Wheat Buyer Today

Chicago, Sept. 4.—There was just one buyer in the Chicago wheat market today, and he didn't even visit the Board of Trade. He was Uncle Sam, and he had an office in the Otis building, two blocks from the board.

There was one basic price, $2.20, fixed by President Wilson. The method pursued was very simple. The man who received the wheat had it placed in an elevator, obtained a receipt from the elevator, took his receipt to the Otis building and got his money.

Through a misunderstanding a little spot wheat sold at slightly above the government basis, but the local representative of the food administrator issued a warning that there must be no repetition of the offense.

DISCUSS HOME RULE AT BELFAST

Dublin, Sept. 4.—The assembly of the constitutional convention for Ireland today at Belfast to which city the deliberations have been transferred for a time, excited great interest throughout Ireland. Very favorable conclusions for the success of the convention were drawn from it.

It is felt to be a great gain that Belfast should abandon its rigid position of unwillingness to discuss home rule at all and should give a cordial welcome to the convention in which its views are largely represented, and whose functions is to draft a constitution for the government of Ireland.

The last five sittings at Dublin have been devoted to discussion of detailed schemes of home rule. These discussions will be continued at Belfast and later the convention will sit at Cork.

BRAZIL TO KEEP OUT OF WAR

Rio Janeiro, Sept. 4.—In a denial of newspaper reports the minister of war has announced that Brazil will not send troops to Europe. The announcement also states that minister of the navy will not lease requisitioned German ships to the Entente Allies.

IGNORE COLOR LINE IN DRAFT LINEUP

Washington, Sept. 4.—How color lines have been ignored in the assignment of negro troops in the drafted sections of the national army, is revealed in general orders issued today, showing the war department's intention to apportion the negro troops evenly where possible in all cantonments. The order provides that in every cantonment there shall be one negro infantry regiment where sufficient personnel is available.

Protests have been made against quartering negro troops in certain parts of the south, but no modification has been made.

The order is taken as an indication of what the war department will do in disposing of similar regiments in Natonal Guard camps.

BRITISH ADD 63 SHIPS IN 2 MONTHS

London, Sept. 4.— Commenting on the rapid increase in ship building to offset losses from the submarine campaign, the Cardiff correspondent of the Exchange Telegraph company says that two supplements published by Lloyd's Shipping Register show that between June 8 and July 17, more than 100 steamers, of which 63 are British, were added to the register. Most of these vessels are of large tonnage. The rate of construction is understood to be increasing rapidly.

DROUGHT IN WEST TEXAS KILLS CATTLE

Austin, Tex., Sept. 4.—Owing to a shortage of cars, over 100 carloads of cattle in the drought-stricken section of West Texas cannot be moved to points where water and grass are obtainable, according to findings of the State Railroad Commission today. Telegrams from West Texas said cattle are dying as a result.

BALTIMORE JAILS "I WON'T WORKS"

Baltimore, Md., Sept. 4.—The police have rounded up 500 idlers, who are charged with violating the state law compelling everybody to take up some productive labor or else go to jail. Another 500 arrests are expected within a week.

There has recently been a remarkable increase in the ranks of bond salesmen as the result of clubmen and society hangers-on to escape the dragnet.

THE WEATHER

Chicago, Sept. 4.—Following are the weather indications for Illinois for thirty-six hours, ending at 7 p. m. Wednesday:

Partly cloudy tonight and Wednesday; not much change in temperature.

IN IOWA AND ILLINOIS.

Wheather conditions in Iowa and Illinois cities at 11 a.m. today:

Decatur—Cloudy; 74.
Clinton—Clear, 66.
Aurora—Cloudy; 75.
Rock Island—Part cloudy; 69.
Davenport, Ia.—Part cloudy; 69.
Moline—Part cloudy; 69.
Muscatine, Ia.—Part cloudy; 70.
Ottumwa, Ia.—Cloudy; 70.
Burlington, Ia.—Cloudy; 70.
Bloomington—Cloudy; 68.
Springfield—Cloudy; 72.
Danville—Cloudy; 68.
Peoria—Part cloudy; 68.
Quincy—Cloudy; 72.
Champaign—Cloudy; 70.
Rockford—Clear; 60.
Waterloo, Ia.—Clear; 71.
Dubuque, Ia.—Clear; 70.

LOCAL OBSERVATIONS.

Following is the range of temperature as recorded by Prof. J. H. Coonradt, United States weather observer:

7 p.m. Monday	85
7 a.m. Tuesday	60
Noon Tuesday	72
Highest Monday	80
Lowest Tuesday	59
Precipitation	.21
Sun rises (Standard time)	5:20
Sun sets	6:29

WEATHER MAP.

Chicago, Sept. 4.—The weather map at 8 a.m. today, showed:

Canadian Northwest—Part cloudy; 40 to 52 above. Edmonton, .01; Calgary, .06; Battleford, .30; Prince Albert, .12.

Northwest—Part cloudy; 48 to 56 above.

West—Part cloudy; 56 to 66 above. Kerkuk, 1.06; Davenport, .88, raining; Dubuque, .24; Peoria, .42.

Southwest — Generally clear; 64 to 70 above. Columbia, .20, raining; Springfield, .68.

Ohio Valley — Part cloudy; 42 to 10 above. Cincinnati, .01; Evansville, .68; Louisville, .10.

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THRESHED GRAIN ON SUNDAY AT PANA

Oats Not Badly Damaged From Rain.

Pana, Sept. 4.—A number of farmers whose threshing has been delayed by the recent rains, engaged machines and threshed Sunday. Edward McKee, a local grain dealer kept his place of business open all day and received the grain from the machines.

The price of wheat varies. The wheat that has sprouted brings $1.25 and the price is increased according to the condition of the grain.

OATS NOT BADLY DAMAGED.

Oats are not as seriously damaged as the wheat and the price has not decreased as much. The lowest price paid this season for oats has been 47c. They are now 50c for good white oats.

MISS PUTHOFF TO WED.

Miss Gertrude Puthoff and Kenneth Jones will be married tonight at 8 o'clock at St. Patrick's Parochial residence by Rev. Fr. J. P. Moroney. The attendants will be Miss Gertrude Wallner and Servian Bouchetz. Miss Puthoff is a daughter of Frank Puthoff. Mr. Jones is a son of William Jones. He is an employe of the Sugar Creek Creamery.

COLLIDED WITH FORD

Orr Pierpoint and Will Tabor met with an accident at Dwight while en route to Milwaukee from Pana Saturday night and suffered minor injuries. They were making the trip on Pierpoint's motorcycle which has a basket attachment. At Dwight they collided with a Ford automobile. Pierpoint went through the windshield of the car but escaped serious injury. His injuries consist of a few bruises and strained ligaments of one leg. Young Tabor suffered a deep cut at least ten inches long just below his right thigh. Both returned to Pana and Tabor is in the Huber Memorial hospital. he motorcycle was only slightly damaged but the Ford had its front axle broken in two places and the radiator ruined. The boys were to attend a motorcycle convention in Milwaukee but abandoned the trip.

TRIED TO KEEP WEDDING SECRET.

Charles Tabor and Miss Forrest Gaynour, both of this city and employes of the Sugar Creek Creamery were married Thursday in Taylorville and made an effort to keep the affair a secret. The news has been given publicity however and the couple admit they are married. Mr. Tabor is the butter maker at the creamery and Mrs. Tabor is one of the stenographers.

They asked for a brief respite from their duties, and reported for work as usual following their brief vacation. Mrs. Tabor will continue at her duties for the present as they will not begin hous keeping until later in the fall.

POSTEHER-BUDDS

Miss Carmen Postcher daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Postcher and Warren Budds were married by Rev. Fr. J. P. Moroney Monday evening at 7:30 o'clock at the Porochial residence. The attendants were: Miss Agnes Postcher and Bert Martin. Mr. Budds is a coal miner. He and his bride will reside in a cottage on West Orange street.

BEAT BOARD BILL, CHARGE.

William Vilmurs a Pana boy who has been working in Edwardsville, was placed under arrest here Monday, charged with beating a board bill of $15. He was held here until an officer from Edwardsville arrived and he was then taken to Edwardsville for trial.

S. A. Casey, who has been critically ill was slightly improved Monday. His son Dick Casey of Peoria, is at his bedside.

VICTIM OF AUTO ACCIDENT DIES

Warrensburg, Sept. 4.—Word was received here Monday of the death of Sherman Oxley. His death was caused by injuries received in an automobile accident which occurred near Bloomington last week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Ives moved to Decatur this week.

CLUB TO MEET.

The Concordia club will meet with Mrs. Agnes Bear, Thursday. Each member is given the privilege of inviting a guest. The program given will be as follows:

Song—"Illinois."

Reading—"A Good Dinner." Mrs. Helen Melton.

Piano duet—"Pure As Snow." Agnes Nottelmann, Mildred Herrod.

Address—"Value of Organization at the Present." Mrs. F. L. Fraley.

Piano solo—"Nightengale's Love Song." Mrs. Minnie Herrod.

Roll call.

The Warrensburg schools will open Sept. 17. School will be held in some other building if the new schoolhouse is uncompleted. Several of the schools in this community were reopened Sept. 2.

Mrs. Herschel Kilck and daughter spent Sunday in Latham.

The Chattering Chums club met with Mrs. Hoss Willard Thursday afternoon.

It is estimated that there will be a large run at the Warrensburg canning factory this season, probably lasting until Oct. 1.

Dr. Ranes has purchased the Pilgrim church parsonage.

George Kilck will move to Decatur this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Abe Cressler and son, Victor, spent Sunday in Decatur.

Miss Mable Jaques of Peoria visited Mrs. Minnie Herrod here this week.

Paul Tohill of Dalton City spent the weekend here with Gerald Underwood.

DELAND

Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Bingham went to Trenton, Mo., Monday to attend the Dewees-Rice wedding.

James Peeking and H. Prine and families attended the funeral of Mrs. Belle Rowland in Monticello Sunday.

Mrs. J. H. Campbell and Mrs. J. H. Bingham have returned home from Lincoln, Neb., where they attended the funeral of their brother, John Lynch.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Hamilton, a daughter.

Jacob McBride and sons, Guy, Orla, Earl and Ira of Decatur, Ind., have been guests at the home of J. E. Bickel and family.

Clarence Hammond, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. George Hammond, was married Wednesday.

Rev. I. A. and J. M. Dice were in Sheldon Sunday.

Dale Miller and Herald Williams spent Sunday in Peoria.

Will Carrier and family of Champaign, spent Sunday here.

A large number of Methodists will attend conference in Champaign this week.

Lyle Cathcart and family spent Sunday in Monticello.

E. Hayes and family spent Sunday in Rantoul.

L. C. Deck and family were called to Mohamet Saturday, by the serious illness of Mr. Deck's mother.

Herbert Bechtel of Burlington, Ia., is home on a few days' vacation.

ALLENVILLE.

An ice cream social will be given on the Methodist church lawn Saturday night.

Mrs. Daniel Miller was in Mattoon Friday.

The Allenville school was reopened Monday with Miss Minnie Capshaw as teacher.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Martin spent Sunday in St. Louis.

Andrew Leffler of Mattoon, visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Leffler, Sunday and Monday.

Mrs. John Dean of Mattoon, visited her mother, Mrs. Rebecca Addington, last week.

Mrs. C. C. Wright was in Mattoon Friday.

Miss Stella McCabe returned home Saturday from a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Ras Bundy, near Windsor.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Alderson of St. Louis and Fred Moore of Mattoon, visited Mrs. Martha Moore Sunday.

Miss Mary Huber of Arthur, began her term of school at the Henton school, east of here Monday.

Mrs. J. E. Hoskins and daughter, Olive, and son Charles, returned home Sunday from a visit with Mr. and Mrs. I. O. Adams at Bondes.

The Sunday school of the Methodist church had a picnic at Tifer's park Sunday.

Mrs. Rosa Nichols entertained a number of her relatives at her home Sunday. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Urith Biggens and daughter of Indiana, Mrs. Julia Black, Miss Hazel Black and Herbert Black of Cook's Mill, Mr. and Mrs. Christopher Sutton and children, Mrs. James Spaugh, Mr. and Mrs. John Black and daughters Marie and Bidena and Miss Ferne Ridgeway.

KENNEY.

Lois Becker was in Clinton Saturday.

Mrs. Womack of Iowa, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Clifford Green, who is seriously ill.

Mr. and Mrs. John Weekle and children of Tabor, visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Nephir.

J. W. Howard of Jacksonville, spent Sunday with his mother, Mrs. Mary E. Howard.

E. E. Pullen and family visited relatives in Waynesville Sunday.

Turner Nearing who is on a concert tour with a Scottish band, visited his mother, Mrs. May Nearing, here Saturday.

A. N. Kemp and family and Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Trowbridge motored to the aviation field at Rantoul Friday.

Miss Dorothy Rolin of Decatur, is spending a few days here with Miss Jeanne Howard.

Dr. and Mrs. M. E. Stewart of Clinton, and Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Evans of Tabor, visited Mr. and Mrs. G. M. McElhiney Sunday.

Mr. Hanger of Lincoln, was here Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Lane are visiting relatives in Kenney this week. They will visit a few days in Clinton before returning to their home Springfield.

VANDALIA HAS PATRIOTIC DAY

Vandalia, Sept. 4.—Monday was planned to be a big patriotic day. Co. I entertained the boys in the draft at dinner at the mess hall. Two bands, Vandalia and Ramsey, furnished music, and addresses were made by J. A. Bingham, Major Bullington and others. The rain interfered with the arrangements. They went to the court house where the program was finished. Company I gave a drill just before the rain. A number of the drafted men will leave Wednesday for the training camp.

The funeral of Frank Johnson was conducted at the Methodist church Monday afternoon by Rev. Mr. Shumard. The deceased had been a resident here a number of years, and was about 78 years old.

Ernie Bode and little daughter of East St. Louis, were here Monday.

Mrs. Joe Leach of Arlee, Mont., has been visiting relatives here the past three weeks. She will return home Thursday.

Dr. Mark Greer has received his commission in the medical corps and expects a call to report any time.

Thomas Kirkman, who has made his home with his sister, Mrs. T. M. Stombaugh, the past few months and a great sufferer with cancer of the face, fell last Friday at the home of his sister and broke his hip. He was taken that night to the Effingham hospital where he was treated. His condition is considered serious.

The three Witt children of Seminary, were declared dependent, their father deserting them and the mother unable to support them, were taken to the Soldiers' home at Normal, Monday, by the county farm matron, Mrs. W. A. Henderson, and Miss Elsie Largent. The children are aged four years, two years and one nine months.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Dang and daughter, Miss Clarice, returned to Scott, Kans., after an extended visit at the home of Charles Schilling and other relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hubler and daughter, Miss Florence, and Mr. Pasley motored to Indianapolis Monday to attend the state fair. They will return Sunday.

F. M. Guinn and Henry Huss were Decatur visitors Monday.

DOOR UNLOCKED, WOMEN GO OUT

Both Back in Jail Before Night Is Over.

Maude Carroll and Frankie Fost, colored escaped from the Macon county jail shortly after noon Monday and were at liberty for a few hours. Just when they got out is not known, but it is supposed about 1:30. Some one in passing in and out of the woman's department had failed to lock the door leading into the area between the court house and jail, and the women walked out unseen. Before the middle of the afternoon the escape was discovered and by supper time Maude Carroll was back behind the bars. She was found in the east part of the city. Sheriff Tandy expected to find Frankie Fost about her old haunts, but he was disappointed and toward evening learned she was on a Wabash train bound for Chicago. The train was overtaken by a telegram and the woman was taken off the train at Manhattan, and brought back Tuesday morning.

Clarence Tandy's bloodhounds were used for awhile, but did not find a trail.

JERRY WELCH IS SUBSTITUTE

Son of Veteran Carrier Is Now in Line for Place.

Jerry Welch, who has been special deliveryman at the local postoffice, has received official appointment as substitute carrier. This puts him in line for regular carrier when vacancies occur.

He is the son of Edward "Kit" Welch, who has been a mail carrier for the past twenty-four years.

GRASSHOPPERS DOING DAMAGE

Eating Sweet Corn and Beans in Local Gardens.

Some of the gardeners are complaining of grass hoppers eating the sweet corn and the second crop of beans. It is not reported that they have been bad enough to damage field corn but gardeners who are raising late garden stuff complain that the hoppers are really damaging the crops. One man said they were eating all the leaves off the sweetcorn in his garden.

WILL BE BACK IN ILLINOIS

Carlos Lyon and Glenn Frede Excused to Resume Studies.

Carlos Lyon of Decatur and Glenn Frede of Stewardson, who have been with the "mosquito fleet," Naval Reserves, arrived Monday. College men under age have been given indefinite leaves of absence by the navy department to complete their studies, but are subject to recall at any time. Lyon and Frede will be juniors at the University of Illinois this year.

Why You Should Never Pare a Corn

If you are troubled with corns or calluses, do not run the risk of blood poison by paring them. Statistics show that many deaths have occurred from this seemingly innocent practice of paring corns.

Simply go to your druggist and get a few cents worth of Ice-Mint, rub a little on any painful corn or callus. Immediately the pain will disappear and in a short time the corn or callus will loosen and lift off easily with the fingers—root and all—leaving the surrounding skin in a healthy, normal condition.

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Wednesday—Notion Day

—Specializes numerous little things needed every day in the home and sewing room. This list suggests numerous needfuls. It will aid you in your shopping.

Economy Stocking Protectors, a card containing four—15c
West's Electric Hair Curlers, a card containing five—25c
Silk Knit Corset Laces, for —12½c.
"Hold Tight" Hair Nets, two qualities, each—10c and 25c
"Gloria" Gold Plated Safety Pins, all sizes, a card—10c and 12 1-2c.
Cabinet Hair Pins, 360 pins in a cabinet—15c
Wire Coat and Trousers Hangers, keep the garments in shape—10c
Dexeter's Knitting Cotton, for—6c
Darning Cotton, for— 4c
Steel Pins, best quality, a paper—5c, 10c and 15c
Basting Thread, a spool—5c
Hat Pins, 4 pins on a card for—5c
Barbour Linen Thread, a spool —15c
Bone Buttons, a dozen—10c
Bronzed and Black Invisible Hair Pins, for—5c
Belding's Darning Silk, all colors—6c
"Solus" eight day alarm clocks each—$2.75
Coats' Cotton Thread, for—5c
Goff's Silko Skirt Braid, for —18c
Automobile Veil Pins, a card of two for—10c

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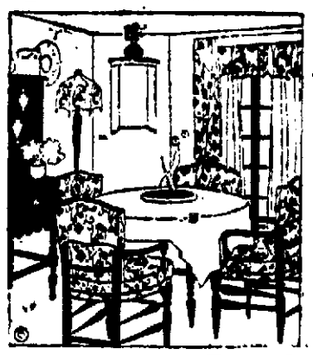

Brocades at $3.50 to $9.00.

Imported Velours, $3.50 to $10.

Domestic Velours, $2.50 to $5.

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Plain and novelty Repps. Poplins and figured Armures, including Sunfast materials, at 75c to $2.50.

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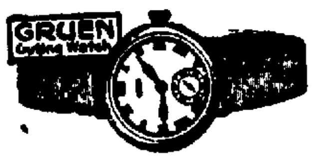

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NEW ATWOOD HIGH SCHOOL OPENED

Atwood Sept 4 — The Atwood township high school opened Monday morning, Sept. 3, in the new township high school. The building is not yet completed but most of the rooms are done and the school can be held conveniently.

Saturday was registration day and Superintendent Sutton was busy all day helping students to select their course of study.

The grade schools also opened Monday morning with George W. Lesseg superintendent.

Dr Will Rideout and family of Freeport Ill visited relatives here last week. Dr Rideout has been examined and accepted for entrance into the army as a physician and expects to be called at any time. He has a son in the army who is now stationed at a fort in Iowa.

LOSES TWO TOES

Edward Suffern son of Mr and Mrs E C Suffern had his right foot caught in a horsepower baler last week and was so seriously injured that it was necessary to have part of his toes amputated.

Mrs Z B Thornton has returned home from a visit in Newport, Ind. She was accompanied by her son, Charles Thornton and wife and daughter Ruth who will visit relatives here.

A B Livengood and wife and C M Harshbarger and wife left Saturday on an automobile trip to Yellowstone National park, Salt Lake City and other places of interest.

Mrs Joseph Teal left last week for Denver, Colo, for the benefit of her health. Her mother Mrs L C Suffern accompanied her as far as Decatur.

Miss Nell Brooks of Lincoln Ill is here visiting her sister, Mrs George Wile and family.

Mrs Charles Wilson visited Mr and Mrs R F Kagey last week at their summer home at Woodbine park.

Mr and Mrs Carl Loeffler and little son of Detroit Mich visited G W Wiley and family last week.

Jack Stitt of Memphis Tenn is visiting his mother, Mrs Joseph Mercer and family.

Mrs F C Samuels and small son of Decatur is here visiting her parents Mr and Mrs W J Heckinger.

Misses Katherine and Myrtle Erhardt of Chicago came Saturday for a few days visit with their mother Mrs John Erhardt.

Miss Laura Fay visited relatives in Sullivan last week.

Miss Myrta Conner is attending institute at Monticello this week.

W A Witzman and wife of Pana visited Mr and Mrs C W Marsh here last week.

Mrs Charles Terrill and son Harley left last Thursday for Friendship Wis where they will visit her other two sons for several weeks.

A A Elliott and family and Miss Margaret Bittner attended the Atwood picnic at Decatur last Sunday.

Mrs J H Perrin returned home Sunday from an automobile trip with her sister and husband from Indianapolis to Niagara Falls and points of interest in Canada.

Rev G W Pinney attended conference at Mansfield last week.

Albert Clapp is ill with typhoid fever.

A surprise was given I C Harshbarger Tuesday at the home of his daughter Mrs Lavina Wildman in Mrksville it being his seventy-seventh birthday. It was also the birthday of Mrs Orlie Harshbarger.

Mrs Frank Morrison and children of Marion visited Mr and Mrs C E Morrison here last week.

Mr and Mrs Homer Archer and little daughter and Miss Bertha Archer of Indianapolis called on Atwood friends Sunday.

TOLONO.

R H Burns of New York City has been spending the past two weeks here with his sister H Burns.

Miss Anna Lanbecka who has been spending a month's vacation in Chicago is at her old place in the telephone office.

Miss Myrtle Gates returned Tuesday from a visit over Sunday with Mrs John at Home.

Mr and Mrs A C Sollis and daughter Miss Doris of Tolono were guests of Mr and Mrs J E Tiler several days last week.

Mrs F M Mabarry spent last week with her mother at Lemont.

Mrs A E Ford and Miss Tuttle spent several days last week with the former's brother John McCullough at Delphos.

Will S Pedlied left Saturday for Sterling where he has entered the second training camp.

Mrs Clary Fowen and daughter Margaret of Fine Village Ind spent a few days the first of the week with Byron Burns and son.

Mrs W W Wiley and son Owen and Mrs Myrtle Smith visited in Chicago last week.

Miss Marie Calley left Monday for Three Points west of Champaign where she will teach school this winter.

Mr and Mrs L A McNichols and two sons of Newman visited over Sunday with the former's sister Mrs W F Boone and family.

Mr and Mrs Loren Calley and two sons of Danforth spent Sunday at the home of the former's parents J B Calley and wife.

Mr and Mrs Harry Hartleb of Mateson, visited relatives here over Sunday.

John Gorman of Denver Colo, arrived here Monday.

Miss Estella Burroughs who spent the summer at Bloomington arrived home Monday.

Mrs Lottie Hartleb left Saturday for a week's visit with her daughter Mrs Charles Weintraut at Shelbyville Ind.

Miss Julia Owen of Sidney spent the week with Mrs J T Meharry.

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135 PUPILS IN TUSCOLA HIGH

Other News From Douglas County Seat.

Tuscola Sept 4 The Tuscola public schools opened Monday morning with a full enrollment in both the high school and the grades. The attendance in the high school at the opening session was about 135 of which number there are about 45 in the senior class. There will probably be several more students to enter the high school later as there are several pupils who are working on farms near here.

Mr Fuller who is to teach manual training and act as athletic coach, did not arrive Monday. Superintendent Hammond had not heard from him but he was expected here on an evening train. Miss Ina Miller teacher for the second grade in the south ward was unable to be present on account of sickness and her place has been filled by Miss Ella Wa... of Chrisman.

PRINCIPALS WARD SCHOOLS

Miss Dixie Moore of Champaign is principal of the south ward school and will also teach the fourth grade. Miss Nora Oberholser is principal of the North ward and will teach the fourth grade.

Mrs John Paskin returned Sunday from Richmond, Ind where she had been attending a family reunion. On Sunday morning while on a limited interurban car from Richmond to Indianapolis and when a short distance out of Richmond the car ran down an automobile on a public road crossing killing six persons.

7,000 MILE AUTO TRIP

Mr and Mrs A W Brigg of Tuscola and Mr and Mrs R S Lloyd of Paris who formerly lived in Tuscola returned Saturday from a nine weeks' trip in the northwest in Mr Brigg's touring car. They went from here to Colorado and from there traveled up into the northwest, visiting Yellow Stone park, and other points of interest. They came home by a more northern route along the Canadian border visiting points of interest in the Lake Superior region. They traveled a total of 7,000 miles and had no trouble with their car except minor tire trouble. The entire party returned in the best of health.

FROST IN WISCONSIN

Mrs John P Smith received a letter from her son Bert who is located in Grand Rapids Wis a few days ago in which he stated that during the cool spell last week there was a killing frost in that part of the country which did great damage. All kinds of garden stuff including tomatoes which were just beginning to ripen were entirely wiped out. Grand Rapids is in the potato producing district of Wisconsin and that crop which is a large one this year was so far matured that the frost did not injure them.

The Tuscola baseball team went to Mattoon Monday afternoon and played a game with a team of that city winning by a score of 4 to 2.

Howard L Thomas of Newman, was here Monday while enroute to the fruit farm owned by the Thomas family in southern Illinois.

Mr and Mrs Scott Burgett, of Newman, were here Monday.

Mrs Fred L Reat went to Cincinnati Ohio, Sunday, to visit Mr. Reat, who is taking treatment in a sanitarium near that city.

Dr Dale Huber, who was a few weeks ago commissioned as an officer in the medical corps of the army, has returned to Tuscola. Soon after receiving his commission he received telegrams from the war department, instructing him to hold himself in readiness to go at any time. He immediately closed up his practice and business affairs here, and went for a short visit at his home in northern Wisconsin informing the war department where he would be found in case his services were wanted. After waiting for several weeks he has not been called and is much at a loss to know just what to do concerning the matter of taking up his practice.

Mrs F R Smith went to St Louis Sunday.

Perry and Brown O'Neal spent Sunday with their parents at Arthur.

Mrs Ernest Tackett spent Sunday at Aurora.

Miss Anna Wilson went to Chicago Monday.

Mrs Grover Helm left here Monday for Hamilton Ohio.

Mrs Curt Munns of Atwood was here Monday.

George Walker went to Springfield Monday.

BEMENT WOMAN'S CLUB TO MEET

Bement Sept 4 —The Woman's club will hold its first meeting of the year in the home of Mrs Carrie Evans, Wednesday afternoon. The program:

Roll call Summer driftwood gathered by the club.

Music.

The past year —Mrs Shelly Pelton.

What can we do —Mrs Louise Thompson.

Solo—Mrs Lois Bower.

Current events.

Misses Edith and Ethel Rose went to Chicago Tuesday for a short visit.

The Presbyterian Ladies Aid society will have their annual wiener roast Friday evening on the tennis court at W A Steel's. Hot wieners rolls baked potatoes pickles onions pumpkin pie and coffee will be served. Tickets for adults, 20c, for children 25c.

Mr and Mrs Loval Pettie of Chicago returned home Monday after a few days visit to Mr and Mrs W R Camp.

Miss Lucile Logan who was a guest of Mrs W R Camp returned to her home in Bethany, Monday.

Misses Wilma Rhinesmith and Frances Tenney returned to Chicago Saturday to be ready for the opening of school.

Miss Anna Pettit who was a guest of Mrs C L Body returned to Chicago Saturday, she is a teacher in the public schools there.

Misses Winifred and Emily Hammond teachers in Chicago have returned there Monday having passed the summer at their home here.

Noble Liell returned to Chicago Monday after a few days visit at home.

Miss Esther Requith of Decatur visited Mrs H P Shaw Monday.

Earl Baker returned to Chicago Monday night after a visit to his mother, Mrs R L Baker.

Tony Ryan who is a rural mail carrier out of Mansfield, spent Sunday at his home here.

100 MEN IN CO. H AT SHELBYVILLE

Shelbyville, Sept. 4 —H company, Fourth Illinois regiment, now has an even 100 members. Three new recruits were reported at noon Monday which raised the roll to 101, but a discharge is to be issued to Albert Tippendorf of Altamont, who enlisted when under the minimum age.

The three new recruits are Earl Whitacre of Millersville, John Batton of Oconee and Sidney Morgan of Tower Hill. All three are under the draft age.

TRAIN HITS AUTO

A near tragedy occurred at South Morgan street and the Big Four railroad tracks about 10 0 Monday morning when a coal car that was being shunted along the track to the city light plant crashed into an automobile in which Jacob Kull was taking Mrs Christena Hartman of Springfield Ohio, to the station. Both occupants of the automobile narrowly escaped death. Neither was seriously hurt. Mrs Hartman, who occupied the rear seat was caught in the top and dragged 20 or 25 feet. Her shoulder and arm were wrenched, and her clothing badly torn. Mr Kull fell clear of the wreckage of the car when it was struck by the coal car, but his arm was cut and his leg scratched.

The car, which was the property of Jacob Wendling, was a total wreck.

The Red Cross auxiliary at Tower Hill had a public meeting Saturday evening with a large crowd in attendance. U. G. Ward and F B Wendling of this city delivered addresses.

Mrs Edwin L Draper and two sons, Andrew Sloan Draper and Walter Headen Draper of Albany N Y, arrived in Shelbyville Sunday for an indefinite visit in the home of Mrs. Draper's parents, Attorney and Mrs W C Headen. Dr. Draper is a member of a base hospital unit, in the service of the United States and expects soon to leave for France.

Several members of K company, Fifth Illinois regiment, now stationed at Springfield, were in Shelbyville Sunday to visit friends made while the company was on guard duty here earlier in the year. One of these men said that recently an officer told the men of the company they had better save their money, as they were likely to be turned loose soon and go back to hard labor.

Labor Day was scarcely observed in Shelbyville Monday. Members of local unions were off duty for the day but the only places of business that were closed were the barber shops.

BOODY.

F L Sanders and family visited here over Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Nolle.

Willis Johnson and family of Danville and John Ryder and family of Decatur were the guests of J. J. Johnson and family Sunday.

Master John Hapkins of Decatur visited here last week with his grandmother, Mrs A C Elder.

Barney Wise and family of Macon and George Robb and wife of Decatur spent Sunday here with J R Wise and wife.

Mrs Earl Weatherford and little daughter Estelle of Decatur were the guests of Miss Helen Sleutker Friday.

Mrs Will Burke Mrs Will Moffett and daughter Margaret were Decatur visitors Saturday.

Mrs Nell Dodge and baby returned to their home in Nebraska last week, after an extended visit here with her parents, Mr and Mrs. H A Pasley.

School opened here Monday with Miss Tens Allen as principal and Miss Viva Goodwin as primary teacher.

Miss Cleo Evans celebrated her birthday Saturday by entertaining a number of her friends at a party. Games and music were the features of the evening. Refreshments were served.

Mrs Alice Hall of Decatur was here Monday looking after her farm interests.

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How to Stop Loss of Hair and Start New Growth

If your hair is thinning out, lifeless, full of dandruff, and your head itches like mad, it's a sure sign of the dangerous dandruff germ, and quick action must be taken to save what hair you have and start a new growth. Don't wait until the hair root is dead, for then nothing can help you, but get from your druggist four ounces of Parisian Sage—it don't cost much and there is nothing you could use that's any better. Dr. Sangerbund, the famous Paris specialist, discovered that dandruff and falling hair are caused by a microbe—then came the discovery of the value of Parisian sage (liquid form) to destroy this germ, prevent fallign hair and the formation of dandruff. A few massages with Parisian sage are all that are usually needed, and very soon you should be able to see the new hairs coming in. Parisian sage is women's favorite hair dressing, because it will not stain and makes the hair lustrous, soft and fluffy. Be sure you get Parisian sage (Giroux's), for this brand is guaranteed. Decatur Drug Co. can supply you.

Lemon Juice For Freckles

Girls! Make beauty lotion at home for a few cents. Try it!

Squeeze the juice of two lemons into a bottle containing three ounces of orchard white, shake well, and you have a quarter pint of the best freckle and tan lotion, and complexion beautifier, at very, very small cost.

Your grocer has the lemons and any drug store or toilet counter will supply three ounces of orchard white for a few cents. Massage this sweetly fragrant lotion into the face, neck, arms and hands each day and see how freckles and blemishes disappear and how clear, soft and white the skin becomes. Yes! It is harmless

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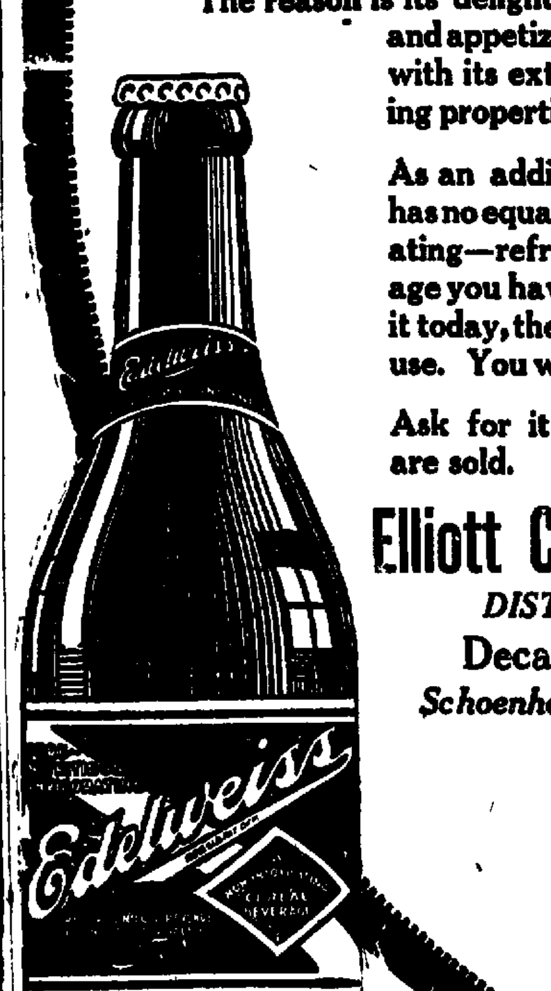
Ask for it wherever soft drinks are sold.



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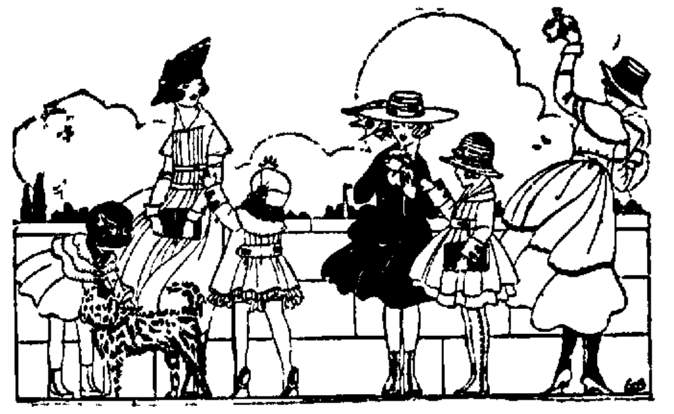
This Week Comes Stewart's Annual

School Preparation Sale

An event carefully planned to aid mothers in economically outfitting the girls in Grammar and High School and young women going away to college



—Despite higher costs generally, we have been fortunate in securing enormous stocks of apparel for school and college girls at most advantageous prices. Because we purchased early, purchased largely and paid cash.

—We are prepared, as we never have been before, to assist hurried mothers, not only in providing garments in the most fetching styles and soundest qualities, but in making a little money cover a big list.

—Bring the girls tomorrow.

50 Dozen Children's Long Sleeve

Gingham Dresses

—We have just received and place on special sale Wednesday, 50 dozen new LONG SLEEVE dresses for school girls, in sizes 6 to 14. They're quite the prettiest dresses you have ever looked at, skilfully made of beautiful dark and medium plaid and checked French ginghams and chambra ginghams, every dress showing the details of the most careful workmanship and designing. The out-of-ordinary kinds. We guarantee you a saving of 50c to $1.00 on each dress at our special sale prices of $2.9?, $2.50, $1.95 and.... **1.50**

For School and College Girls

New Serge Dresses

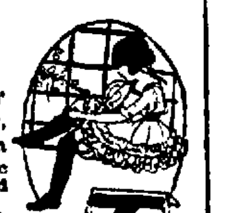
—High School girls and young women going to college will highly appreciate these dresses, for their winsome style and service qualities. Becoming straight-line tailored effects—made of superb qualities of all-wool serge in Navy blue, or in brown, green or beetroot. Size runs—children's, 8 to 14, juniors, 13, 15, 17, 19, misses, 14, 16, 18, 20. Considering the present price of high grade serges you couldn't begin to make one of these garments within our special sale prices of $18.50, $16.75, $15, $12.50 and **$10**

Bargains in Children's School Hose

19c Values 12 1-2c —50 dozen pairs of children's excellent quality black ribbed school hose reinforced at wearing points. Regular 15c and 19c values, special, a pair **12½c**

25c Values, 19c —60 dozen pairs of children's and misses' school hose, first quality, black ribbed stockings, worth 25c a pair. It will pay you to buy a dozen pairs. a pair **19c**

35c Values, 25c —?0 dozen pairs of boys' and girls' extra quality, ribbed school hose, in black only. With elastic tops and double heels and toes. Worth 35c a pair. Special, pair... **25c**



Wednesday, Another Offering of

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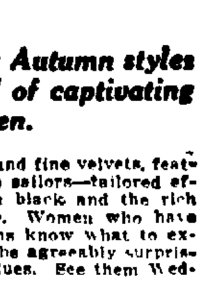
—Not only the dressiest Autumn styles for women, but no end of captivating modes for College women.

—Imposing effects of rich plush and fine velvets, featuring the large and medium size sailors—tailored effects with simple trimmings, in black and the rich shades of purple, grey and blue. Women who have purchased $5 hats in past seasons know what to expect. You who never have, will be agreeably surprised at both the styles and the values. See them Wednesday.

Flags For The Patriotic Parade Specially Priced At Stewart's

—Most every man who marches Wednesday night will carry an American flag. Select yours here—from a large assortment of all sizes in excellent quality mounted flags, at these special prices:

11 by 18 mounted flags, **10c** 18 by 27 mounted flags, **20c**
14 by 24 mounted flags, **15c** 24 by 36 mounted flags, **25c**
24-in. bunting, **9c yd.** 27-in. fast color bunting, **15c yd.**



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The New Fall Boots of Black Kid

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—So very charming are these new models of Black Kid that you can't but help to admire them.

—A pleasing yet effective style for dress wear is the new dull kid lace boot with trimmings of jet beads across top and vamp, narrow toe, light weight sole, high Louis heel and nine inch top. Priced at, the pair $10

—There are two exceptionally attractive models in all black kid leather in either button or lace, nine inch tops, high Louis or one and one-half inch heels. Priced at, the pair $7.50

—Black Kid Boots with nine inch tops of fine black cloth in both the lace and button styles with Louis heels and welt soles. Priced at, the pair $6.00

—Many other styles in soft kids with cloth or leather tops, high or low heels, button or lace, at prices ranging from $3.00 to $5.00

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Society.

A Red Cross shop will be an attraction at the state fair grounds this year. Out of town women may thus be given an opportunity to see the methods in use by the Springfield women. It is expected that help of the state fair sight-seers for the needs of wounded soldiers in France will be enlisted thereby.

This shop will be in the balcony of the Machinery hall, next to the Converse exhibit of Lincoln relics. It will be under the direction of the women who have managed the surgical dressings departments down town. The Springfield women in charge will be Mrs. John Lanphier, who will look after the sewing, Mrs. W. T. Vredenburgh, in charge of the surgical dressings, and Miss Daisy Yates, knitting expert.

The Chicago chapter will also send an exhibit of Red Cross work to the fair. This will be in the nature of educating the public, and will show the finished products which are made in the Red Cross shops, as well as a real Red Cross motor ambulance.

The dinner-dance at the Country club Monday evening was enjoyed by eighty-two people. The club house was attractively decorated with flowers for the event, which was rather informal. For the dinner all the guests were seated at small tables, on which asters and baby breath were attractively arranged. A four-course dinner was served. There were a number of small family parties.

During the afternoon the men had their golf tournament. The rain did not spoil the course, but rather put it in better shape than it had been before.

Miss Helen Miller will return tonight from a few days visit in Franklin and Jacksonville. At Franklin she visited her aunt.

A miscellaneous shower was given Miss Helen Kenney this afternoon by Miss Doris Roach, when she entertained about twenty guests at her home. A buffet supper was served, pink being the color which was carried out in the dining room flower decorations.

Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Bachman returned home Saturday evening after their wedding trip. Mrs. Bachman has gone to Chicago for a few days this week.

Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Moeller returned home Sunday afternoon from their wedding trip to the east. While away they visited Nantucket, Boston, and other places, and had a delightful trip.

Dr. and Mrs. E. J. Brown motored back from Chicago Sunday afternoon after spending a week in that city. They returned by way of Deer Park. They found the roads good.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Wellapp have returned from a week's motor trip to Kentucky. They drove first to French Lick, Ind., then down to Mammoth cave, and visited Hodgensville, Lexington, and other points before returning. The roads in Kentucky were splendid, but in southern Indiana some were encountered which were not so good.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Buckmaster returned Monday afternoon to their home in St. Louis after a visit of about three weeks with their daughter, Mrs. J. Foster Waltz, and family.

MARRIED

ABNER-TURNER

Samuel E. Abner, traveling representative for the Business Men's Insurance Co., of Des Moines, Ia., and Laura B. Turner, both of Little Rock, Ark., were married in the parlors of the St. Nicholas Hotel at 8 o'clock Monday afternoon, Rev. R. E. Henry of the First Christian church officiating. The ceremony was witnessed by a number of the hotel guests, including Nate Erber of the Lincoln Square theater, Mr. Erber being a former Little Rock resident. The newly wedded couple will remain here two or three weeks and will then leave on a wedding trip in the west.

NEWS OF THE PUBLIC SCHOOLS

A call has been sent out by Superintendent Engleman for a meeting of the school principals at his office at 9 o'clock Saturday morning for the discussion of a number of matters connected with the opening of the schools.

There will be a meeting of the board of education in the public school office at 8 o'clock Friday morning. One important matter that will be disposed of at this meeting will be the confirmation of the appointment of twelve or fifteen teachers that have been made since the last meeting.

The office of the principal of the high school has been temporarily transferred to the high school museum while the office is in possession of the painters.

The registration of new high school students by H. D. Trimble of the high school faculty began this morning and will continue through the week.

Superintendent Engleman has excused the high school teachers from the general teachers meeting on Monday afternoon at 3:30. This is to give them ample time for the registration and organization of the high school students. There will be a meeting of the high school teachers in room 307 Monday morning from 8:45 to 9:45.

Students whose last names begin with the letters from A to M will be registered Monday morning from 10:00 to 12:30. The students whose names begin with the letetrs from N to Z will register Monday afternoon from 1:30 to 4:00.

Long Auto Trip.

Mrs. Theo. Scherer returned last week to Decatur from a trip to Detroit with a party of friends from St. Louis. The route chosen was St. Louis to Decatur, where Mrs. Scherer joined the party, then to Chicago by way of Bloomington and Joliet, then to Detroit, then to Toledo, to Dayton, to Indianapolis, to Tuscola, to Decatur.

Mrs. Scherer left the party at Decatur, and they continued to St. Louis, arriving there Friday. Her friends were Henry Bussen and wife, H. Bussen Jr., Miss Gertrude Bussen, Miss Bertha Stuever, Anthony Schuermann, all of St. Louis.

The entire trip, 2,400 miles, was made without a mishap. The roads were in fine conditon and the trip was made in good time, with the exception of the trip from Indianapolis to Decatur. It was intended to make this way in one day but the party struck Illinois just after the heavy rain of the first part of the week and they were obliged to lay over for one night in Tuscola and make the rest of the trip to Decatur on the next day. All enjoyed the trip immensely.

GEORGE TRIMLEY'S NEW POSITION

Will Get $1,800 a Year for Work With the Soldiers.

Professor George Trimby, the evangelistic music master well known in Decatur, will leave soon for Des Moines, Ia., to take up his work with the 13th National Army division, where 40,000 soldiers are in training. He will receive $1,800 a year from the government, as well as his food and clothing and it will be his duty to organize musical clubs, bands, choirs, quartets etc., and to teach the men to sing and to lead them in their chorus work.

This is a new idea introduced into the military camps for the purpose of helping to break the monotony and to help maintain the spirits of the soldiers to the highest possible pitch.

He Enlisted.

The lines with the picture of Paul E. Hatfield, in The Review, should have stated that he was a navy recruit and not one of the drafted men. Hatfield enlisted in the navy some time ago and was called to service at the Great Lakes Naval Training station last week.

MUELLER MEN HAD GOOD TIME

Caught Fish, Went to a Fish Fry, Back Without Trouble.

All of the Mueller men that made the auto trip to Quiver Beach, leaving here Saturday noon were back on the job Tuesday morning although some of the late arrivals were a trifle sleepy. Part of the crowd, having all the fishing they wanted, started home about 8 o'clock Monday morning and reached Lincoln before the rain caught them. Then after they struck the oiled road at Warrensburg, they had easy sailing again and reached Decatur in a little over four hours.

The others had a different story however. They started at 6 o'clock Monday evening and had mud all the way excepting on the oiled road and some of them used chains all of the way to Decatur. They did not arrive in Decatur until 1 o'clock Tuesday morning, seven hours being required to make the trip of about ninety-two miles.

All of the men had a good time, caught plenty of fish, none of which were large, and enjoyed a fish fry given by the superintendent of the waterworks at Havana. Only one machine had any trouble and that was tire trouble that was quickly remedied.

GOOD REPORTS OF BLOOMINGTON TRIP

Labor Day Excursionists Return in a Good Humor.

"Everybody had a good time, got home safe and sound and in good time," said Secretary Cross of the Trades and Labor Assembly, Tuesday in telling of the trip of the local union labor people to Bloomington. "It rained there from about 11:30 to 1 o'clock, but after that it cleared off and was fine. Because of the weather, though, some of the people started coming home about 3 o'clock. Most of them started about 7 o'clock and I think all of them had left by 9 o'clock. As it extended out over more time, the service home was good and got all the crowd back in good shape. The I. T. S. people are not to blame for not being able to handle all of the crowd in the morning. We told the interurban officials we only expected about a thousand people, and they furnished plenty of cars for that number, but many outsiders took advantage of the excursion and helped fill up the cars."

ELKS ATTENTION

ALL ELKS ARE REQUESTED TO BE AT THE ELKS HOME WEDNESDAY EVENING, AT 6:30, TO TAKE PART IN THE PATRIOTIC PARADE.

—By Order Committee.

The Wm Gushard Dry Goods Co

School Bells Will Be Ringing

Monday, September 10th

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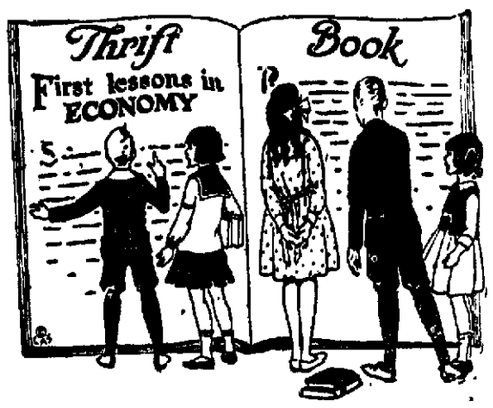

YOU have only a few days which to outfit the young hopefuls, that their "shining morning faces might reflect their pride in new toggery and new equipment.

For these few days of selling, we have spent many weeks in preparation. Our big children's department has an enviable reputation to sustain; all goods offered to our buyers had to measure up to a high standard—much of the merchandise being made to our special order. Everything had to fit into our plan for "better value"; better selection in point of stocks and in point of price.

We have provided liberally for all schoolsters, from kindergartners up to high school lassies, and the seminary Miss.

Are You Knitting?

If So You Can Appreciate Our Wonderful Selection of Yarns, Knitting Needles and Bags

WOMEN of this community are indeed very fortunate to have access to such a fine assortment of yarns as our present stocks afford. Men in touch with the yarn market today, tell us that our display has no equal in this section of the state and not to be excelled in many of the large metropolitan stores. We advise you to supply your needs without delay.

Bucilla and Bear Brand Yarns in all shades of Vicuna and Shetland floss for Sport Sweaters and Scarfs. Women assure us that our yarn display has no equal in the city.

Fleisher's Knitting Worsted, in grey, navy and khaki, for the Red Cross knitting.

Tortoise Shell Rings that you need for the tops of your knitting bags—either round or oval, at from 25c to 69c

Plenty of Steel Knitting Needles
Our buyer has sent us a big shipment of steel knitting needles—an article that is extremely scarce and not shown at all, in many stores. We have them in sizes 10, 11 and 12. The regular price for a set of 5 is 25c. You buy them here at a set 19c

Amber Knitting Needles, in sizes from 2 to 13, at a pair from 40c to 25c

Knitting Bags, in a big variety of styles, made up in cretonnes, silks and other materials, priced at $5 to 63c

You Can Now Enjoy a Splendid Selection in

MORE ADVANCED FALL FASHIONS

Tailored Suits. Fall Coats. Dresses. Blouses. Separate Skirts.

THESE advance autumn days find the hanging cabinets on our garment floor fairly loaded down with hundreds of the new modes for Fall. We might tell you volumes about the new styles, but how much more satisfactory it will be for you to come in and see for yourselves, all the exquisite new fabrics, and beautiful garments. You will be impressed with the magnificence of design and colors

The New in Women's Fall Dresses

September, the first phase of the Autumn season, brings delightful Fall Dress models which are sure to be instantly accepted by women who keep posted as to the trend of fashion.

Ready now are charming models in Fall Dresses of—

Wool Jerseys, Satins, Taffetas, Serges

Enough are here to give you an excellent idea of the modes of Fashion for Fall and Winter. More will be coming every day.

Prices Range Upward From $12.50

New Georgette Crepe Waists At $5

Several new Fall models in Georgette Crepe Waists are ready now, each reflecting the very latest style ideas, and presenting a wide range of new colors. Extremely unusual values are offered at .....

At The Famous Lee's Correct Dress for Women Fashion Shop

Save the Good Your Vacation Did

Away from the strain of office work, your eyes got a rest while you were away because you didn't use them for close work. Back at the close work, your eyes will again be subjected to strain unless you get glasses. Consult us today. Have your eyes examined and find out what comfortable work yours is.

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SPORTS

MACON RACES BEST FOR YEARS

1000 See Annual Labor Day Events.

Before an enthusiastic audience of more than 1,000 racing fans, the Labor day races at Macon were the best Labor day races which have been held there in spite of the rain, which started about 2 o'clock in the afternoon the crowd kept in good humor, while the rain made the track fast.

Even in the races where the winning money was taken in straight heats the race was fast. The prizes were $15, $10 and $7 apportionment of the gate receipts. The races and heats were as follows

Three Minute Trot

Colonel Jr. (Traughber)	1	1	1
Gates entry	2	2	2
Lucky Jim (Schimer)	3	3	3

Best time—1 18

Three Minute Pace.

Planet Jr. (B. Traughber)	3	2	1	1
Jane Fuller (Elliott)	1	2	2	2
Don Orator (Bolich)	2	3	3	3

Best time—1 16½.

2:30 Trot.

Sailor (Giles)	1	1	1
Harry (Davis)	3	2	2
Miss Linton (Phillips)	2	3	3

Best time—1 15

Free for All Race

Dr. Kelley (Baker)	2	1	1	1
Melrose (J. A. Phillips)	1	2	2	2
Maud Fuller (Hanes)	3	3	4	4

Best time—1 [illegible]

WORLD'S SERIES TO HELP SOLDIERS

New York.—The coming world series is expected to add materially to the fund being collected by Clark Griffith for the purchase of baseballs, bats, and other playing paraphernalia for the American troops in Europe. The manger of the Washington American league club has been active recently in obtaining the consent of the teams likely to be involved in the series to contribute to this fund, with excellent results.

Charles A. Comiskey and Harry H. Frazee, presidents of the Chicago and boston clubs respectively, have agreed to contribute 1 per cent of the club's share of the gross gate receipts of all world series games in case their combinations are participants in the championship play. H. N. Hempstead, president of the New York Nationals, also has offered to be a party to the same agreement. The national commission has informed Griffith it will donate 1 per cent of its share of the receipts, and the players of the competing teams will receive an opportunity to contribute a similar percentage of their division of the world series money.

Arrangements have also been made whereby Griffith, aided by Boy Scouts will be permitted to collect such contributions as spectators may desire to make during the first game played in each city.

STALEY WON BY SCORE OF 4 TO 1

"Doc" Carroll Not As Strong As Earlier.

"Doc" Carroll, the Sadorus twirler, was not quite so effective against the Staley team Monday afternoon as he was earlier in the season and the Staley defeated the visitors, 4 to 1. However, Carroll allowed but five hits and his support was very bad. "Danny" Young made his debut as a pitcher and easily qualified for the title, allowing the visitors but one lone single in the nine innings. Charley Dresen was the clouting star of the afternoon, getting a double and two single, three of Decatur's five hits

The score:

STALEYS—	A.	R.	B.	H.	P.O.	A.	E.
Clinton, lf	4	0	0	0	0	0	0
Kerr, 2b	4	2	0	0	8	1	1
Augustine, cf	4	0	0	0	3	0	0
Mattlade, c	2	0	0	0	6	0	0
Dresen, ss	4	1	3	2	2	0	0
Songer, 3b	4	1	1	1	2	0	0
Parker, 1b	3	0	1	2	0	1	1
Reich, 1b	3	0	0	0	3	0	1
Hawkins, rf	3	0	0	0	0	0	0
Young, p	3	0	0	0	1	3	0
Totals	31	4	5	5	27	15	3
SADORIS—							
Dangbauer, lb	2	0	0	0	5	1	1
P. Davis, c	4	0	0	0	4	0	0
Cook, ss	2	1	0	1	1	2	2
James, 2b	4	0	0	0	3	3	2
Shoemaker, 3b	4	0	0	0	2	4	1
Woodcock, rf	4	0	1	0	0	0	0
Kemper, f	3	0	0	0	1	1	0
Carroll, p	3	0	0	0	0	4	0
Frol, lf	3	0	0	0	3	1	0
Turrell, 1b	2	0	0	0	8	1	0
Totals	31	1	1	1	24	16	6

BY INNINGS.

Staleys	1 2 1 0 0 0 0 0 0	4
Sadoris	0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 1	1

SUMMARY.

Two base hits, Dresen, Songer. Bases on balls—Off Young, 2; off Carroll, 1. Struck out—By Young, 6; By Caroll, 4. Umpire—Keck.

TOM ALLEY'S PLACE IN RACE

Lost a Wheel But At That He Stayed In.

Driving in a group of racing top liners Tom Alley in his Pan American racing car took fourth place in one race and fifth in another in the Labor Day event at the Chicago speedway.

Speed records fell before the time made there Monday afternoon and the fact that Alley came in fourth and fifth in the different races speaks well for his skill as a driver and for the speed of his car.

GLORY FOR DE PALMA.

The racing glory of the day fell to De Palma driving his Packard twin six although he lost the 100 mile event on account of tire trouble, Louis Chevrolet winning that race in his Frontenac in 56 29.5, or at the rate of 108½ miles per hour for the 100 miles.

In the 20 mile race De Palma broke all world's records by making the distance in 11:02.7, or at the rate of 108 7-10 miles per hour. De Palma also won the 50 mile race in 28:8, with Claston Chevrolet second, Lewis in a Hoskins third, and Tom Alley in the Pan American fourth

ALLEY LOST WHEEL

On the fifteenth lap of the 100 mile race Tom Alley had a narrow escape through the loss of the left hind wheel which raced along the track, made the turn at the end and did not stop until it had gone a half mile.

By great driving Alley escaped injury, drove up to his pit, put on another wheel and re-entered the race but, of course, was hopelessly out of the leading places although he came in fifth in spite of his trouble

A crowd of 9,000 people saw the races and the prizes were made up from 40 per cent of the gate receipts.

CHALLENGE BY DE PALMA.

Chicago, Sept. 4.—Ralph De Palma, dissatisfied with his showing at the local speedway yesterday, has challenged Louis Chevrolet, to a race at the same oval next Saturday. It is understood that the drivers have come to terms, and will race 100 miles in three heats of 20, 30 and 50 miles each.

Progress of The Pennant Races

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

Clubs—	W.	L.	Pct.	Win	Lose
White Sox	87	47	.649	.632	.644
Boston	76	49	.608	.614	.598
Cleveland	73	60	.549	....	...
Detroit	69	65	.504	....	...
New York	58	65	.472	.460	.484
Washington	56	68	.463	.466	.460
St. Louis	50	83	.376	.363	.373
Philadelphia	46	78	.351	.356	.356

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Clubs—	W.	L.	Pct.	Win	Lose
New York	74	43	.645	.648	.639
Philadelphia	69	51	.575	.579	.570
St. Louis	68	61	.521	.516	.527
Cincinnati	68	65	.511	.513	.507
Cubs	64	68	.492	.496	.480
Brooklyn	59	61	.481	.488	.469
Boston	51	67	.432	.437	.421
Pittsburgh	42	84	.333	.339	.321

YESTERDAY'S RESULTS.

National League.

Chicago, 6; St. Louis, 3. Second game St. Louis, 2, Chicago, 0

Philadelphia, 5; Brooklyn, 0. Second game Philadelphia 9, Brooklyn 3

Boston, 8, New York 2

Pittsburgh, 5; Cincinnati, 3.

American League.

Cleveland 7, St. Louis, 6 (12 innings).

New York, 4, Boston 1.

Chicago, 11, Detroit, 5.

Philadelphia, 7 Washington 4 Second game: Philadelphia, 9 Washington, 2.

American Association

Toledo 7 Indianapolis 4 Second game Toledo 8, Indianapolis, 3 (7 innings, darkness).

Milwaukee, 10; St. Paul, 1 Second game Milwaukee, 2, St. Paul, 0 (6 innings, darkness).

Kansas City, 9; Minneapolis, 5. Second game Minneapolis 7 Kansas City, 2.

Columbus, 5; Louisville, 2. Morning game Louisville, 8, Columbus, 1.

TODAY'S GAMES.

National League.

St. Louis at Chicago, clear; 3 p. m.

Boston at New York, clear, 3 p.m.

Cincinnati at Pittsburgh clear; 3:30 p. m.

Philadelphia at Brooklyn, clear, 3:30 p.m.

American League.

Chicago at St. Louis, cloudy 3:30 p. m.

New York at Boston, two games, clear, first game at 1:30 p. m.

Washington at Philadelphia, clear; 3.30 p. m.

American Association.

Minneapolis at Kansas City, clear; 3.30 p. m.

Columbus at Toledo, clear, 3:30 p. m.

Louisville at Indianapolis, cloudy, 3:15 p. m.

St. Paul at Milwaukee clear, 3 p. m.

1,700-MILE MOTOR TRIP

Sangster Plum Arrives From Visit to Hamilton, Ont.

Sangster Plum returned Sunday Sunday night from a motor trip to visit his parents near Hamilton, Ont. His brother, William, who lives in Chicago, returned with him and will spend the week in Decatur.

The trip covered about 1,700 miles and was made without any trouble except the picking up of a tack in Detroit.

All kinds of roads were encountered—some that were dreams and others that should be classified perhaps as nightmares.

FIRST MEN TO GO THURSDAY

Twenty-Eight on "Failed to Report" List.

The city and county exemption boards issued a call Monday evening to the men representing the first five per cent of the city and county draft to report at the courthouse at 5 o'clock Wednesday afternoon for final instructions.

WAIT FOR PARADE.

The boards decided that it would be better not to send these men till Thursday morning, allowing them to remain here Wednesday night and witness the patriotic demonstration in honor of the drafted men of which they are a part. They will leave Thursday morning over the Wabash for St. Louis, nine from the city and nine from the county outside the city, and at St. Louis they will be transferred for Des Moines, Ia., where they will be stationed at the concentration camp for an indefinite period. The nine city men will be in charge of Guy L. Dickerson and Clarence S. Bowers, and the nine from the county will be in charge of George E. Jacobsen of Niantic.

FAILED TO REPORT.

The county exemption board will certify to the district board the names of twenty-eight men who have failed to report for physical examination. It is thought that most of the men have already enlisted in some branch of the government military service but the rules require that all who failed to appear be certified to the district board for investigation. Noel Paul Hudson, who is the first on the list, graduated from the James Millikin university last spring. He had a position awaiting him as teacher in the schools at Santiago, Chili, and immediately after graduation he secured consent of the war department to go. It is not likely that he will have to come back soon.

THE LIST.

The list of twenty-eight not appearing for physical examination is as follows:

126—Noel P. Hudson, Decatur.

437—Charles L. Sadler route 4, Decatur.

1236—Henry J. Griffin, Niantic.

721—Otto Wendell Simpson, route 7, Decatur.

343—Ralph A. Workman, 967 South Water, Decatur.

432—Charles B. Hill route 4, Decatur.

811—Ollie M. Rutherford, Warrensburg.

335—Virgil Rogers, 1205 South Colfax, Decatur.

704—William Bafford, route 7, Decatur.

1617—Ed Costello route 8, Decatur.

51—Elza McCort, 1622 North Gullck avenue.

90—Lawrence Wolverton, route 2, Decatur.

168—Thomas Lee Anderson, route 2, Decatur.

1023—David H. Spitler, Maroa.

49—Benjamin N. Trimby, route 3 Decatur.

323—Robert Myers, 1356 South Broadway.

1658—Ed Hocker, Elwin.

169—Raymond McCourtney, route 2, Decatur.

1702—Curtis Funkhouser, Oreana.

185—Weldo Bretz 2205 East Cerro Gordo street.

91—Earl E. Wood, 1746 Gulick avenue, Decatur.

344—Walter C. Stubbs, 858 South Colfax, Decatur.

342—Normath Dyer, 235 East Marion, Decatur.

1529—Earl Evans, Moweaqua.

127—Willie F. Gray, 2400 East Main Decatur.

1683—Benjamin E. Johns, route 4, Decatur.

429—Elmer J. Eaton, Boody.

1310—William H. Shofner, Niantic.

Blanche Carter Out.

Blanche Carter, who was given fifteen days in the county jail and a fine of $25 and costs for bootlegging, was released Tuesday. Her husband paid her fine Monday. The fine and costs amounted to $37.90.

A fine of $25 don't sound very big, but when the costs are added it makes quite a sum. The costs frequently amount to more than the fine. In this case they were higher than usual, because there were more witness fees.

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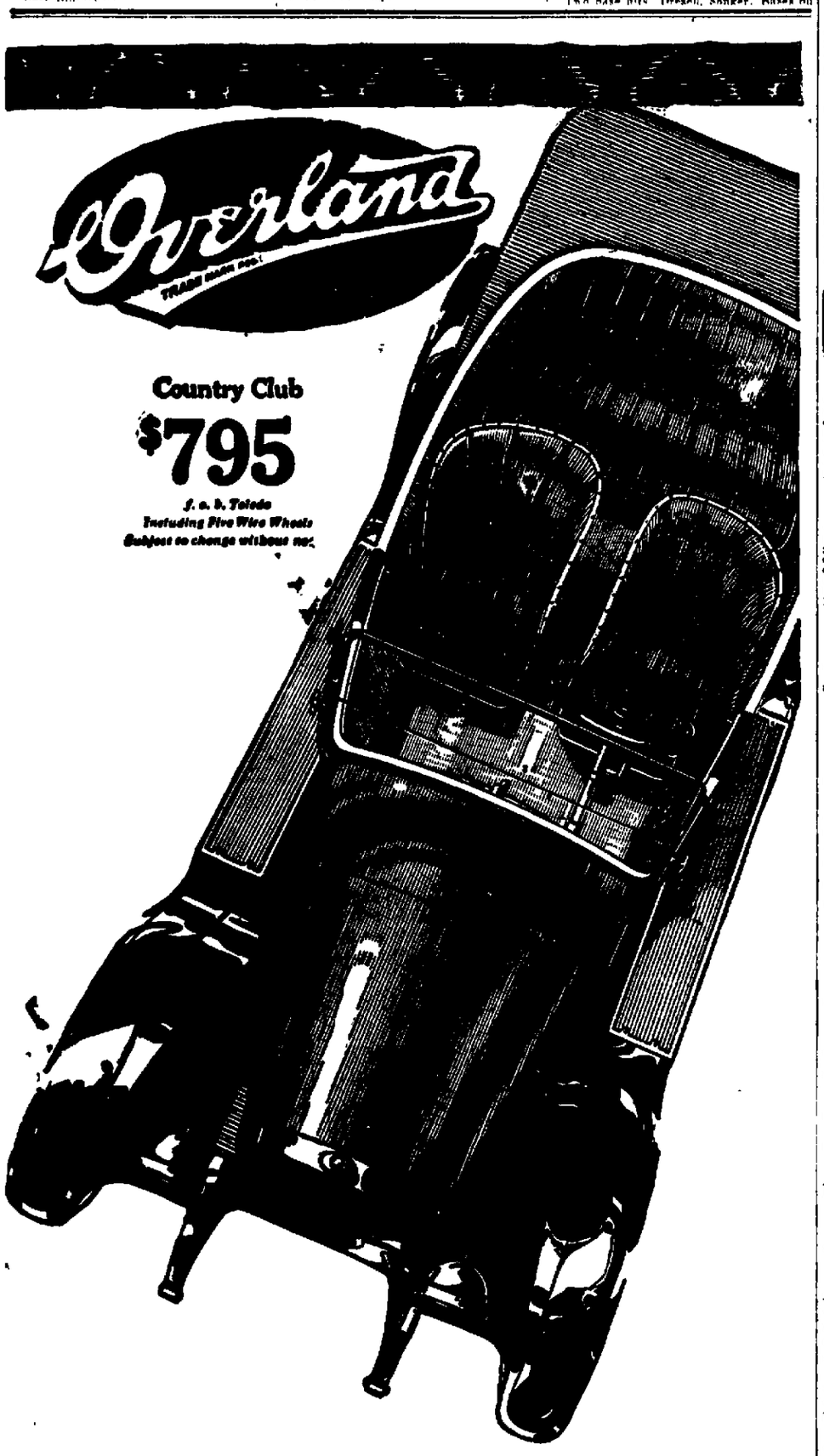

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9:10 A. M.	Limited	6:10 P. M.	Local
10:00 A. M.	Local	7:25 P. M.	Parlor Car
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NATIONAL COUNCIL of DEFENSE

Similarly with the present Red Cross work, we are going to require the registration of ALL united endeavors for relief such as organizations working for the betterment of sanitary conditions, welfare of, children, young women and girls in business or factories. We shall require the services during registration week of several young girls willing to devote a few hours each day to "cutting cards". All will be required to give their names in to the head of the "cutting committee" for this work. The cutting committee will be announced later.

Until headquarters are established, volunteers for working in Decatur right away, should make themselves known to Miss Flentye, secretary, or to Mrs. Beatty, chairman, by phone.

What volunteers are wanted? Registrars, cutters and sorters, for the week of Sept. 17th. Those who feel willing to serve will be instructed at special meetings for those volunteers, to be announced through the press of Decatur. Keep your eyes open.

EMMELINE S. BEATTY.

GUARD AGAINST FROST DAMAGE

Weather Bureau Specialists Tell How to Protect Garden Stuff.

Washington, D. C.—Don't watch the moon for signs of the first frost; watch the Weather Bureau. And when the warning from the forecaster comes, as it usually will from 24 to 48 hours in advance, look to the protection of the garden produce which is not yet under cover. There are a number of ways to forestall the surprise attacks of this Jack Frost person.

First, the specialists suggest, protective coverings should be made ready. Old blankets, tarpaulins, sacks, straw, manure, paper and various other materials may be used for covering. The conditions favorable for the formation of early frost in fall are usually of short duration and consequently protective measures ordinarily will have to be employed only for a day or two.

When frost is imminent and protection is not possible or practicable, vegetables likely to be injured should be gathered and canned, dried, pickled, preserved or stored. Those that can not be saved from exposure to freezing should, if possible, be gathered before thawing takes place. In the case of potatoes, especially sweet potatoes, all vines should be cut off at the surface of the ground after the occurrence of frost.

Tomatoes may be pulled up, plants and all, and hung tops downward in a dark place, preferable a cellar. When treated in this way the fruit will ripen nicely and slowly. Fruit that is very immature should be removed from the vines and may be used for pickling or in other ways.

Many vegetables such as cabbage and turnips are not harmed by ordinary frost and need no special protection.

BETTER WATCH DAY BILL PASSES

Inventories Must Be Made by Grocery and Drug Stores.

"All grocery and drug stores, hotels, cigar stores, etc., having over 500 cigars, 1,000 cigarettes, or 100 pounds of chewing gum and smoking tobacco and snuff, will be taxed by the War Revenue Bill now before Congress," says Collector of Internal Revenue A. L. Pickering, of Springfield.

The tax will be computed on the stock on hand in excess of above figures on the day the bill passes. Every dealer must make an inventory of his stock on that day. Dealers will be advised by the newspapers the day the bill passes. The inventory must be retained by the dealer. Shortly after the bill passes an official form will be sent to every dealer whose address can be learned, upon which he will copy the inventory and forward to the Collector.

Cigar and tobacco dealers who have not received information from Collector Pickering, should write to him at once. "Ignorance of the law excuses no man."

On the same day, inventories are also required from persons having on hand and for sale distilled spirits, beer and wines. Retail dealers have an exemption of 50 gallons of distilled spirits.

The act will prescribe severe penalties for failure to take this inventory, and pay the tax, according to the regulations which will be promulgated.

EXPECT 2,000 AT HAMMOND

Mrs. Pie Jamison Miller Speaker for Thursday on Red Cross.

Between 1,500 and 2,000 persons are expected for the opening day of the Hammond Harvest Homecoming which begins in Hammond Wednesday. The celebration will continue until Friday but if rain interferes on any day of the three, the time will be extended a day.

The Goodman band will play through the entire three days of the homecoming, and there are other special attractions. On Thursday Mrs. Pie Jamison Miller of Monticello will speak in the interests of the Red Cross. She is the only speaker on the program.

Ten Years Ago Today In Decatur

SEPTEMBER 4, 1907.

The U. S. Malleable Iron Works resumed operations after having been closed down for several weeks.

Liens had been filed against the Wilson Park Coaster company by the Vaughn Electric Co., the Lyon and Alexander Lumber companies.

Miss Fannie Bivans resigned her position with the Macon County Title and Trust company and planned to enter the University of Chicago on October 1, to study law.

Members of the Class of '04, D. H. S., left for Woodbine park on their semi-annual picnic.

C. F. Handshy resigned as Wabash trainmaster to become general superintendent of transportation on the I. T. S.

TWENTY YEARS AGO TODAY.

The funeral of Jerome R. Gorin was held from the First Methodist church under the direction of Beaumanoir Commandery.

V. H. Parks and Son secured the contract to furnish all the crushed stone for the West North and North Main street pavements. The total amount was about $7,000.

Dan Dinneen and wife returned from a trip to Mackinac Island.

Rev. India Hill left for Lafayette, Ind., to fill a month's engagement for the First Spiritual society there.

The trustees of the I. O. O. F. Old Folks' Home met in Decatur to inspect plans of a Mattoon architect for the building to be erected in Mattoon.

There was talk of moving the waterworks from its location at the Illinois Central Bridge up the river near the I. D. and W. bridge or Wabash bridge.

Labor Day was observed by the closing of public institutions and a bicycle race between employes of the postoffice, which included a match race between Warren Siewers and Frank Mead, the latter winning. "Kit" Welsh ran into a fence and broke his collar bone.

This Day In Illinois History

September 4, 1849—Governor August C. French by proclamation dated Springfield, Ill., Sept. 4, 1849, calls extra session of the legislature for Monday, Oct. 22, 1849, to fill vacancy for United States senator and other matters.

WILL READJUST IN TWO DAYS

Plans for Saving Time at the High School This Fall.

Principal T. M. Dean, of the high school, proposes to shorten the customary organization period of the high school from a week or ten days to one or two days this year. After the pupils have registered and their schedules have been made out, it has been found heretofore, that some classes were overcrowded, and others insufficient in size. Some pupils would have two classes at the same hour and there would be numerous discrepancies and discordances. The adjustment of these things took days, at least a week, and the school could scarcely be said to be in operation till the second week. This year all readjustments necessary to the proper organization of the school will be made at once.

A committee of teachers known as the registration committee, will be in session in the high school library and after the pupils have registered and the programs have been made out by their regular teachers, they will go at once to the registration committee, who will make all necessary adjustments.

It will be necessary for all pupils who have been in the high school before, to appear next Monday. Those who are new to the school will register this week. H. D. Trimble, who will have charge of the registration of new pupils, has returned from New York, where he has been in Columbia university, and will register the pupils and arrange their programs during the rest of this week.

STATE FAIR SCHEDULES

Trains on C. I. & W. and Wabash for State Fair Week.

Complete train schedules for the C. I. & W. trains to Springfield during the state fair week have been received at Decatur. With the exception of Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday, Sept. 11, 12 and 13, when there will be special trains, the train service over the C. I. & W. to Springfield will remain the same as at present.

The regular trains leave Decatur at 12:05 p. m. and 9:25 p. m., and on the three days mentioned, a third train will be added, leaving Decatur at 7:00 a. m. The fare will be $1.35 for the round trip. Returning, the special train will leave Springfield at 8:30 p. m. The regular trains will leave Springfield at 5:00 a. m. and 2:30 p. m.

The Wabash will also give special train service, Sept. 11, 12, 13 and 15, with trains leaving Decatur at 4:50 a. m., 7:00 a. m., 9:10 a. m., 11:00 a. m., and 2:30 p. m. Returning trains will leave Springfield at 2:50 a. m. 9:50 a. m. 5:45 p. m., 7:55 p. m., and 11:55 p. m.

Home Reading Course for Citizen Soldiers

[Issued by the War Department.]

CLOSE-ORDER DRILL.

Close-order formations are seldom used in actual fighting; nevertheless, they should be thoroughly mastered. They have been worked out during centuries of experience as the best means of training men in soldierly habits of thought and action. They teach precision, teamwork, and that prompt and unhesitating obedience which is so necessary to military control. The fact that you and your comrades are thoroughly drilled will be your best protection in the hour of battle. It will give every man confidence in himself and in his comrades and will insure steadfastness in the face of the enemy.

However, close-order drill will not yield these results if it will be worse than useless—unless it is learned thoroughly and practiced with snap and precision. You must drill, drill, drill. It is one of the most essential steps in your training. Enter these drills with enthusiasm. Try to make a distinct improvement every day.

GRADES OF CLOSE-ORDER DRILL.

There are four sections or grades of close-order drill, which are called school of the soldier, school of the squad, school of the company, school of the battalion. The word "school" as here used, means a fixed method of training.

First of all, you will get the training included under the "school of the soldier." This training is in turn divided into two parts: Instruction without arms and the Manual of Arms.

The very first thing you will learn is the position of the soldier, which has already been explained in lesson 4, then you will be shown, among other things, how to face to the right or left or about in a soldierly manner, how to salute properly and how to march.

The Manual of Arms takes you a step further. It teaches you how to handle your rifle properly. It does not, however, include practice in firing or in bayonet combat.

In the school of the squad you will execute all the movements learned in the school of the soldier; in addition you will learn to keep your correct place in ranks, to stack and take arms, and to march as a squad. The school of the squad includes also some practice in extended-order drill.

The school of the company carries you still further in your training. In the close-order drill you will be taught to march in line and in column and to execute a number of simple but very important movements. Most of these movements are by squads working together, the same commands and movements already learned in the school of the squad.

SCHOOL OF THE BATTALION.

The school of the battalion in turn applies on a somewhat larger scale the movements you have learned in the school of the company. The commands of the major will be repeated to you by your own captain, or through him by your platoon commander.

The battalion is the largest unit in which an officer can make his commands heard and clearly understood by all the men; hence, it is the largest unit in which there is instruction in close-order drill. Regiments brigades, and larger units are controlled through orders given to commanding officers which they carry out by issuing other commands or orders to the officers or men immediately under their control.

A very important thing for you to remember is that this progressive training in the close-order drill is all based upon some very simple movements which you will learn in the school of the soldier and the school of the squad. If you get these basic movements right so that you can perform them exactly and promptly—you ought to be able to learn this in a very short time—you need have no fear of the complicated movements of the school of the company and the school of the battalion. In reality, these movements merely look more complicated, because they are carried out by larger bodies of men.

It can not be too strongly impressed on you that the closest attention to your training during the first few days will make your whole period of service much easier and more satisfactory. Don't lose your grasp on this thought. It is of the first importance. Put it into practice and it will help you to get ahead.

ENGINE 2509 MAKES SHOWING

Wabash Testing New Locomotives With Dynamometer Car.

Loaded forty-five per cent over the established ratings of the 2400 series of Wabash engines, engine 2509 made a splendid record on the first test train trip, which has been taken since the arrival of the new engines.

The engine left Decatur Saturday noon and doubled back from St. Louis Sunday night on heavy freight. The dynamometer tests, which will form the basis for the establishment of the ratings on the new engines, will be taken on every one of the engines before the class and individual ratings are given out.

The so-called dynamometer tests are made with a dynamometer car, which is placed back of the engine in a freight train loaded to a known figure, and as the train moves along, a battery of delicate instruments indicate several technical bits of data in connection with operation, such as fuel consumption, drawbar pull, steam records, etc., which are of interest in the determination of the tractive power of the locomotive.

The second of the tests will be made Tuesday morning with one of the 2500 series of engines on the south end, loaded with a 45 percent increase over the Mikado ratings.

ONLY TWO CARS NOT RECOVERED

Good Record by Decatur Police in Getting Stolen Property.

The Decatur police have been successful in recovering almost every automobile stolen in Decatur. There have been but two failures, and both of these occurred in the last three months.

On June 18 this year O. H. Gould's automobile was stolen during the carnival, and it has never been heard from, and the chances are that it never will be. Just two months later, on Aug. 18, Harry Heagle of Niantic left his automobile on Church street in Decatur and it disappeared. Up to the present time all efforts to locate it have been fruitless.

Dozens of cars have been stolen in Decatur, some by joy riders who later abandoned the cars in or near the city, and many by thieves who were actually trying to get away with the cars. With only two cars missing, the record is exceedingly good.

Not only have the police recovered all but two cars stolen in Decatur, but they have recovered many that were stolen in other cities. Some of these cars were stolen in Indiana, one in Missouri, one in Nebraska, and one in Michigan, and several in Illinois.

I. C. HANDLES FORTY CARS DAILY

Paved Areaway Makes Big Improvement in Facilities.

With the completion of the areaway west of the Illinois Central freight house the Illinois Central has one of the best equipped freight houses in Decatur for handling freight.

The house tracks accommodate twenty-four freigth cars, while the team tracks near the freight house raise the total car capacity of the house to forty cars every twenty-four hours. Due to the increase in freight the switching force of the local yards has recently been doubled.

The Illinois Central maintains one of the best freight services out of Chicago, giving over night service to Decatur and surrounding towns. Freight loaded in Chicago is delivered at the Decatur freight house the following morning.

Besides the freight house service, the Illinois Central has 29 industries located on its tracks.

The paved areaway at the freight house will give the teamsters easy access to the freight house, and it is expected that the freight movement there will be even more rapid.

TROUBLES IN THE J. P. COURTS

Another Warrant in Case Involving Several Parties.

Still another warrant will be heard from when the second series of Mitchell - Kennedy- McEvoy-Wallace cases come up for hearing in Justice H. C. Noble's court next Friday, this being a neighborhood battle on East Leafland. An additional peace warrant has been sworn out by Julia Mitchell charging Mrs. Margaret Kennedy with making threats.

George Wright, charged with disturbing the peace in the Tertocha grocery last Saturday, will have a hearing in Justice Noble's court Friday. According to Wright's story, his wife has gone away leaving him with two little children to take care of. His pay envelope is not large and he owed a bill at the Tertocha grocery. Saturday night he sent his ten year old daughter to the store with a ten dollar bill to get some groceries but he claims Tertocha took the money, refused to give the girl any groceries or change and said the ten would apply on their bill. He went to the grocery to get some of the money back and it is said started over the counter after Tertocha when the latter pulled a gun and drove him out of the store.

Although it took several policemen to get C. R. Brubeck, a barber, to the police station Sunday, he is opposing a warrant charging him with drunkenness and disturbing the peace and is under $100 bond to appear for trial in Justice Noble's court next Tuesday.

Edmond Roby, charged with assaulting Fred Wallace, is under $200 bond to appear for trial in the same court on next Monday afternoon.

GOOD RETURNS FROM GARDENS

Ed Shaniel Has Beans and Potatoes for Winter.

The experience of Ed Shaniel, 760 North Pine street, with his war garden of four lots this summer has been interesting and profitable.

Stored away he has one hundred and sixty quarts of canned goods. In addition he has thirty-one pounds of dried navy beans, and in his cellar are ten bushels of potatoes. From a small hotbed this spring Mr. Shaniel realized eighteen dollars from the sale of small plants, tomatoes, cauliflower and the like.

Mr. Shaniel's garden occupies four lots, two at his home and two away from there. He is a cigarmaker by trade and tends his gardens in his spare time, with the assistance of his fifteen year old son Edgar.

Mr. Shaniel had a tomato of the golden ponderosa variety which weighed 22 ounces. The tomato resembles the yellow bell tomatoes which are preserved.

The ponderosas when preserved make very splendid preserves.

Mr. Shaniel has a sunflower in his yard which measures fifteen feet in height.

POTATOES AT LEAST START

Good Ones Offered in Decatur Stores at Fortyfive Cents.

Potatoes have at last made the plunge. The price went to 45 cents a peck at some of the grocery stores Monday, and it is expected that further declines will follow now that the northern stock has begun to come in sufficient quantities to supply the market.

Those offered at 45 cents a peck Monday were good quality northern Ohios and they came from Michigan.

BIG FUNERAL FOR DR. A. L. WARD

Pall Bearers Old Friends From Bement.

The funeral of Dr. A. L. Ward was held at 3:30 o'clock Monday afternoon at the family residence, 1290 West Wood street. It was the largest funeral held at a private residence in Decatur in many months. The house was filled with friends and many remained outside during the services. Many old friends from Bement, the former home of Dr. Ward, were here for the funeral. There were many beautiful flowers from fraternal orders, members of the medical profession and other friends.

The services were conducted by Rev. John R. Golden, pastor of the Central Church of Christ. He was assisted by Rev. William Dowson of Bement.

The music was furnished by Mrs. Homer Bateman. At the residence she sang "Beautiful Isle of Somewhere," and at the grave "Abide With Me."

The flowers were in charge of Mrs. Ralph Rusk, Mrs. H. W. Averitt, Mrs. F. J. Watts, Miss Bessie Parker and Mrs. Forest G. Wikoff.

The pallbearers were all old friends of Dr. Ward, and all were from Bement. They were H. E. Shaw, J. F. Sprague, William Fleming, Dr. J. G. Bauer, James Fisher and I. N. Hawver. The interment was in Fairlawn cemetery.

FUNERALS.

MISS ETHEL QUINLAN.

The funeral of Miss Ethel Quinlan was held at 2:30 o'clock Monday afternoon at the family residence, 723 West William street. There was a large attendance, the house being filled with friends. The services were conducted by Rev. David C. Beatty, pastor of St. John's Episcopal church, of which Miss Quinlan was an earnest, active and popular member.

The music was furnished by Mrs. Homer Bateman and Mrs. W. Roy Essick.

There were many beautiful floral tributes, in charge of Miss Gertrude Dillehunt, Mrs. William Nicholson, Miss Lucy Dempsey and Miss Mary Clary.

The pallbearers were R. C. McMillen, C. A. McMillen, Tenbrook Roberts, Ernest Russell, Frank Walker and George A. Moeller. The interment was in Greenwood.

MISS FRANCES FARRELL.

The funeral of Miss Frances Farrell was held at 11 o'clock Monday morning at the Presbyterian church at Mt. Zion. The services were conducted by Rev. A. P. Frey of La Place, assisted by Rev. L. D. Lasswell of Mt. Zion.

The music was furnished by a quartet composed of Miss Mayme Falconer, Mrs. W. R. Black, John Pierce and W. R. Black. The flowers were in charge of Miss Ollie Gifford, Miss Mary Mitchell, Miss Viola Fathauer and Miss Florence Rector.

The pallbearers were H. A. Champion, R. A. Foley, Henry Watson, C. W. Mitchell, Eli Tohill and Sherman Noble, he interment was in the Mt. Zion cemetery.

GRUENWALD.

The body of Conrad Gruenwald was taken to Lincoln Tuesday morning. The funeral will be held there Thursday, under the auspices of the Modern Woodmen of America.

ALMON HINDS WRITES HOME

Now in Europe With Eighteenth U. S. Engineers.

Mrs. M. S. Hinds, 346 Central Avenue, has received a brief letter from her son, Almon Hinds, former Millikin student, now in service in Europe with the eighteenth U. S. Engineers, American expeditionary force, which is in training in England, in which he tells of the reception given the American troops there.

He says in part:

"We had a fine trip coming over, although it took longer than it usually does to cross. We had a couple of days of rough weather, but I was not seasick, although some of the fellows were.

"The people in England sure were glad to see us and last week we passed in parade before the American Ambassador and the King and Queen of England. The streets were thronged with cheering people. We are going into intensive training soon."

RECIPES FOR EARLY FALL

POTATO BISCUIT.

Now that good, old-fashioned potatoes are once more available for the ordinary purse, why not try potato biscuits? Here is a recipe sent in by a housewife who has previously sent many excellent ones. It is, moreover, a recipe calling for the use of sour milk—which I prefer in many cases to sweet. Mix one cup of sour milk with two teacups of fine mashed potatoes and two handfuls of chopped suet. Sift a teaspoonful of baking soda with two cups of flour and a teaspoonful of salt and mix with the potatoes. Roll out and cut in biscuit. Bake for twenty-five or thirty minutes.

MOLASSES COOKIES.

Here is an old-fashioned recipe for molasses cookies—beloved of childhood—also made with a sour mixing fluid and good to put in the lunch basket now that school days are coming again.

Take one cup of New Orleans molasses half a cup of sugar, half a cup of shortening, half a cup of sour cream, one egg, two teaspoons of ginger, two of cinnamon, two and one-half level teaspoons of baking soda dissolved in a very little water. Bake in a quick oven after mixing with flour enough to roll.

SWEETHEARTS.

Here is another cookie for the lunch basket. Instead of being put together with currant jelly, any favorite sweet may be used. A little sugar and cinnamon with water is a simple filling; cocoa and sugar and water is another. For children the filling should not be over sweet.

Cream together, a scant cup of sugar and half a cup of butter. Add the juice and grated rind of a lemon one beaten egg, three tablespoonfuls of sweet milk and as quickly as possible part of two cups of flour in which has been sifted two teaspoonfuls of baking powder. Put in enough more flour to make the batter rolling consistency, roll very thin, spread half the shapes with a thin coating of currant jelly, put the other half over, to make a sandwich cookie and bake in a rather quick oven.

CHOCOLATE CAKE.

While thinking of sweets for the lunch basket, I will remember to give a recipe for chocolate cake that was sent to this column some time ago by a housewife who has been a generous contributor in times past. I have not tried out this particular recipe, but have had such satisfactory results from others from this source that I have no doubt that it will prove excellent.

Take one cup of sugar two-thirds of a cup of butter, three eggs, one cup of milk, two and one-half cups of flour, one heaping teaspoon of baking powder, one-quarter of a cup of chocolate and one-half a cup of English walnuts. Cream the butter and sugar, add the cup of milk and then stir the flour in lightly, first sifting it with the baking powder. Then stir in the chocolate dissolved from standing in a cup in hot water, add the nuts and lastly the eggs, the whites and yolk beaten separately. The frosting should be made as follows: One and one-half tablespoonfuls of butter, one-half cup of unsweetened, powdered cocoa, one-half cup of confectioner's sugar, one-quarter cup of milk and half a teaspoonful of vanilla. Melt the butter, add the cocoa, sugar and milk then heat to the boiling point and boil for about eight minutes. Heat until creamy, add the vanilla and pour over the cake.

LAURA LEONARD.

Verdict Says "Accidental."

Coroner Leon A. Monson held an inquest Monday morning at Moran's chapel over the body of Delmar Boucha of Bement, who died from injuries sustained when he was struck by the engine of Wabash passenger train No. 1 at Bement Saturday forenoon. The verdict was that death was accidental.

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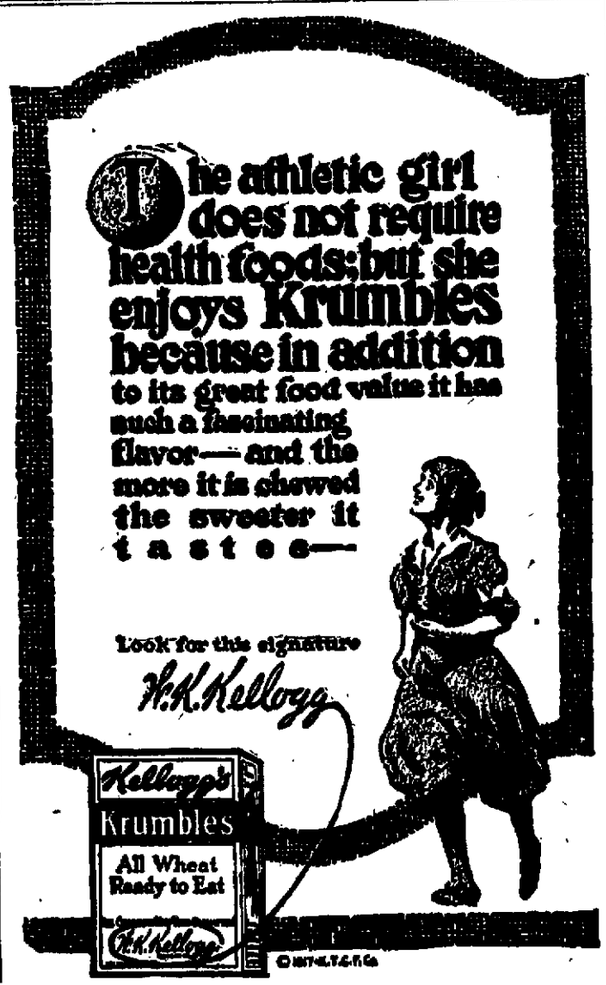

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WANTED—POSITIONS.

Wanted—Position in Decatur by young man with opportunity to earn $16 or $18 per week. Any honorable work. References if desired. Address 1-268 Review.

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Wanted — Teams and scrapers, Monday morning. Swift building, 700 block N. Morgan. L. N. Cope & Son.

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Wanted—Shipping clerk at H. S. Gebhart Co. Apply second floor, Jas. M. Logan.

Wanted—Man dishwasher. Apply Cooper's cafeteria.

Wanted—Elevator boy at H. S. Gebhart Co. Apply second floor, Jas. M. Logan.

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Wanted—Boy to run elevator. D. & R. Shoe store 129 N. Water.

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SPECIAL NOTICES.

All Patriarchs of Decatur Encampment No. 37, I. O. O. F. are requested to be at the hall on North Main street, Wednesday evening at 6:30 o'clock prompt for patriotic parade. J. M. Constant, Chief Patriarch.

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For Sale — 30 acres 6 miles out; small house, 15 acres in cultivation. Price $150 per acre. W. W. Austin, 528-30 Wait Bldg. Phone 6150.

For Sale—240 acres level, well improved, Dallas county, Ia., $41,800, 10 years at 5%. Price $225 per acre; 870 acres Wright county, Ia., large improvements, tiled, level, 25 years on deferred payments at 5%. Price $175 per acre. Several thousand acres both in Iowa and Minnesota for sale by J. C. Atkins Land Co., Perry Ia.

For Sale—Nice 80 acre farm all in cultivation; 6 room house; good barn, rich soil, grows 65 bu. corn or 25 bu. wheat per acre. Price $4,800. Long time on $2,000. Frank Moore, Wayne City, Ill.

Bargain—240 acre farm. Well tiled and improved; 2½ miles from Britt; $175 per acre. Also 230 acres, well tiled land in Calhoun county, 1½ miles from town, ½ mile to school; $105 per acre. Brandt & Hutchinson, Rockwell City, Ia.

For Sale Cheap—80 acre Harrison County, Iowa farm. Price $125. Good house, barn, etc. Five miles from town. Half valley land. All in cultivation. Terms $2,000 or more down, balance to suit. George McCoid, owner, Logan, Ia.

For Sale—80 acres first class land, 5 miles from Decatur. Will be sold worth the money. J. F. Smith, Macon, Ill.

Farms—A few choice farms for sale in northwest Mo. Worth seeing. Booner & Williams, Savannah, Mo.

40 Acre farm, $500; $25 down and $5 per month; also some good ranch lands; a well improved dairy farm at a bargain. J. A. Wheeler, Mountain Grove, Mo.

For Sale—100 acres, 5 acres timber; 20 acres bearing apple orchard; rolling, but tillable; no sand, stone or swamp; well improved; 3 miles from station; south central Illinois; $80 per acre. H. Lafky, 320 W. King, Winona, Minn.

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Farms for Sale—Several fine Southeast Missouri improved farms; also unimproved lands, reasonable prices; good terms. Write for particulars. Address Ira S. Rice, Essex, Stoddard County, Mo.

A Snap—160 acres in Steele county, 150 acres tillable, balance pasture, rich heavy black loam clay subsoil. A full set of good buildings. Price $15,000. C. W. Sorteberg, Kenyon, Minn.

Improved Farm Homes and investments in finest stock and grain country in northeast Mo. 75 to $125 per acre. Chas C. Benner, Clarence, Mo.

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160 acres close to Springfield, Ill., all black corn land; well tiled; no better land; ½ cash, balance long time. Low rate of interest. This is a bargain for a short time at $160 per acre.

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FOR SALE—FARM LANDS.

For Sale—A good 216 acre farm in Marion county, Illinois, close to Salem, well improved, a bargain. $80 an acre. A. W. Wallace, Tuscola, Illinois.

For Sale—Well improved good black soil farms in Christian and Shelby counties, at $150 to $175 per acre. B. R. Miner, Pana, Ill.

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LEGAL NOTICES.

NOTICE OF FINAL SETTLEMENT—To the Heirs of Helen Mar Schmitt, deceased, and all others interested.—

Public notice is hereby given that the undersigned, Frederick G. Schmitt, administrator of the estate of Helen Mar Schmitt, deceased, has filed in the County Court of Macon County, Illinois, at the Court House in the city of Decatur, his final report as administrator of said estate, and will, on the 12th day of September, A. D. 1917, ask for an order of distribution and will also ask to be discharged as such administrator.

All persons interested are notified to attend and examine the report now on file in said court.

Decatur, Macon County, Illinois, August 27th, 1917.
FREDERICK G. SCHMITT.
Administrator of the estate of Helen Mar Schmitt, deceased.
LeForgee, Black & Samuels,
Attorneys for Administrator.

SAM ELLIS GOES TO CEDAR RAPIDS PAPER

Cerro Gordo, Sept. 4.—Mrs. Sam M. Ellis, who has been here visiting relatives, left Thursday for her new home in Cedar Rapids, Ia., where Mr. Ellis has just accepted the position as night editor of the Cedar Rapids Republican. Mr. Ellis is the son of Dr. and Mrs. J. G. Ellis of this city. He gained his early newspaper experience on a Decatur newspaper and is capable. He has many friends here and in Decatur, who will be glad to learn of his advancement.

OLD SETTLERS' PICNIC.

The old settlers' picnic will be held in the city park Wednesday, Sept. 12. The Goodman band of Decatur, is the special feature.

SCHOOL REOPENS.

The Cerro Gordo schools reopened Monday morning with the following teachers in charge: Superintendent, A. W. Boley; principal, Miss Welda Lamb; high school, Miss Pearl Augspurger; seventh and eighth grades, Zoe Roberts; sixth grade, Estelle Barnhart; fifth grade, Edith Jenkins; fourth grade, Lillie Carveth; third and second grades, Lydia Mohler; music, Daris Lewman.

W. R. C. DONATIONS.

At the meeting of the Woman's Relief Corps Saturday afternoon, there was a good attendance and they voted to pay $10 to the ambulance fund which the department of Illinois has decided to raise to purchase an ambulance to present to the U. S. soldiers. A donation of $10 was made to the local Red Cross chapter.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Bear left in their auto for a trip through the west, Monday. They will be gone several weeks.

Miss Estelle Barnhart is home after an extended visit with relatives in Idaho and Colorado.

Lewis Wise and family of Watseka, are visiting relatives here.

Rev. C. E. Beckley, pastor of the First Brethren church, is attending the national conference of that church at Winona Lake Ind.

Charley Tomas and family, who have been visiting Mr. Tomas' sister, Mrs. E. M. Miller, have returned to their home in Pekin.

ON AUTO TRIP.

Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Stevens and Mrs. Stevens' sister of Decatur, left Monday in their auto for a two weeks' trip through the east. They will visit Mr. Stevens' sister in Ohio.

Kenita Harlan of Decatur, spent last week here with her cousin, Mabel Harlan.

Mrs. A. R. Hatfield of Jennings, La., is visiting here.

Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Dodge of Webb City, Mo., are here spending several days with Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Moffitt and family. Mrs. Dodge and Mrs. Moffitt are sisters. Mr. and Mrs. Dodge are on their way home from attending the national encampment of the G. A. R. at Washington.

At high noon Wednesday, Aug. 29, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred H. Dobson east of town, occurred the marriage of their oldest daughter, Ruth, and Thomas C. Warfield. Rev. W. S. Phillips officiated. The ring ceremony was used. The house was decorated. Following the ceremony a sumptuous wedding dinner was served. Mr. and Mrs. Warfield will go to housekeeping in Mansfield. Mr. Warfield will teach school in Mansfield.

G. N. East has returned from attending the funeral of his brother, G. C. East at Dayton, O.

Harry Drum of New York City, visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Eli Drum here last week.

Wilford Peck has returned home from a visit with his sister, Mrs. Frank Friedrich, in Chandlerville.

BIG SEND OFF FOR SULLIVAN MEN

Demonstration Planned for Four Conscripts.

Sullivan, Sept. 4.—The four drafted men from Moultrie county will be given a good send-off tomorrow morning as they leave this city for the training camp at Louisville, Ky., if Judge W. G. Cochran, president of the Moultrie County Exemption Board has his way about it.

The plans are for the band, Company C, and the members of the Grand Army of the Republic to form into line and escort the four drafted men to the Illinois Central train. All other persons who care to, are welcome to march.

There will probably be some speaking, but at least a big demonstration is the plan and there is no doubt but what it will be carried out. All four of the men who go this first day have asked the board that they be the first sent to the training camp and all are anxious to go. They are: George C. Miller, William D. Templeton, Marshall T. Campbell, all of this city, and Elmer H. Murry, who lives one mile south of the city. Miller is the only one of the four who is married, and he did not ask exemption. He is at present high priest of Sullivan Chapter No. 128, R. A. M.

Company C were at Wyman park Monday morning for a field inspection. The company is getting in good condition, but all of the members have not their full equipment.

Frank W. Farnsworth has about as tall a stock of corn as can be found any place at his home here. The stock stands fourteen feet and six inches high and it is eight feet and four inches to the ear of corn. This stock is from a second planting and was planted the last of June.

The band concert this week will be the last concert of the season. It is understood that a special program is being prepared for this, the last concert. The concert will be held on Thursday night as usual.

E. J. Miller, two sons, Ralph and Cecil and daughter Miss Martha and Mr. Miller's sister, have returned from an automobile trip to Yellow Stone park. They have been gone most of the summer and camped out both going out and coming back.

The Globe Theatre company have another musical comedy booked for Thursday night of this week, which is styled the "Honolulu Lou" company.

Mrs. Delbert W. Duncan, Mrs. Fred La Neve and Miss Mae LaNeve were Decatur visitors Tuesday.

D. F. Cuthrell, proprietor of the cafe on the east side of the square closed his door Monday having gone into bankruptcy.

John Pifer returned to Springfield Tuesday morning after a visit at home.

Light showers fell here Monday afternoon and another one early Tuesday morning.

Miss Bertha Haydon returned to her home in Decatur Tuesday morning after a visit here with her sister, Mrs. Chas H. Bristow.

RE-ELECT OFFICERS FOR WOODBINE PARK

Mt. Zion, Sept. 4. At the annual meeting of the directors of the Woodbine chautauqua association Saturday night at the park the following officers were re-elected, president, W. A. Brown; vice president, G. R. Spitler; secretary, Hadyn Veech; treasurer, W. R. McGaughey.

The association determined to hold the annual chautauqua next year and will set about securing talent. A good sized sum was cleared this year.

The Glee club of the Presbyterian church held a picnic Saturday evening at Woodbine park. About twenty were present.

A Christian Endeavor social was held Friday evening at the church.

Miss Spaeth is scheduled to talk at the prayer meeting hour Wednesday evening at the Presbyterian church in the interest of campaign to prevent tuberculosis.

Harley Cox spent Sunday with his parents. He came from the great lakes training station.

Sunday evening the Glee club will give a sacred concert. The orchestra will assist.

RAY SAWYER TO NEW WORK

Will Give Attention to Vocational Training.

Ray Sawyer, formerly instructer in manual training in the Decatur High school, left Tuesday morning for Miami, Ariz., where he will be for the coming year as supervisor of industrial education in the schools there.

In his new capacity Mr. Sawyer will direct a large part of his attention toward developing the vocational training system in the schools there. For the most part the population is composed of foreigners, although the prominent citizens of the town are Americans. The city is situated in the heart of the mining region, being fifty miles from Globe, Ariz.

ST. JOHANNES SCHOOL OPENS

Fifty Beginners—Total First Day Was 424.

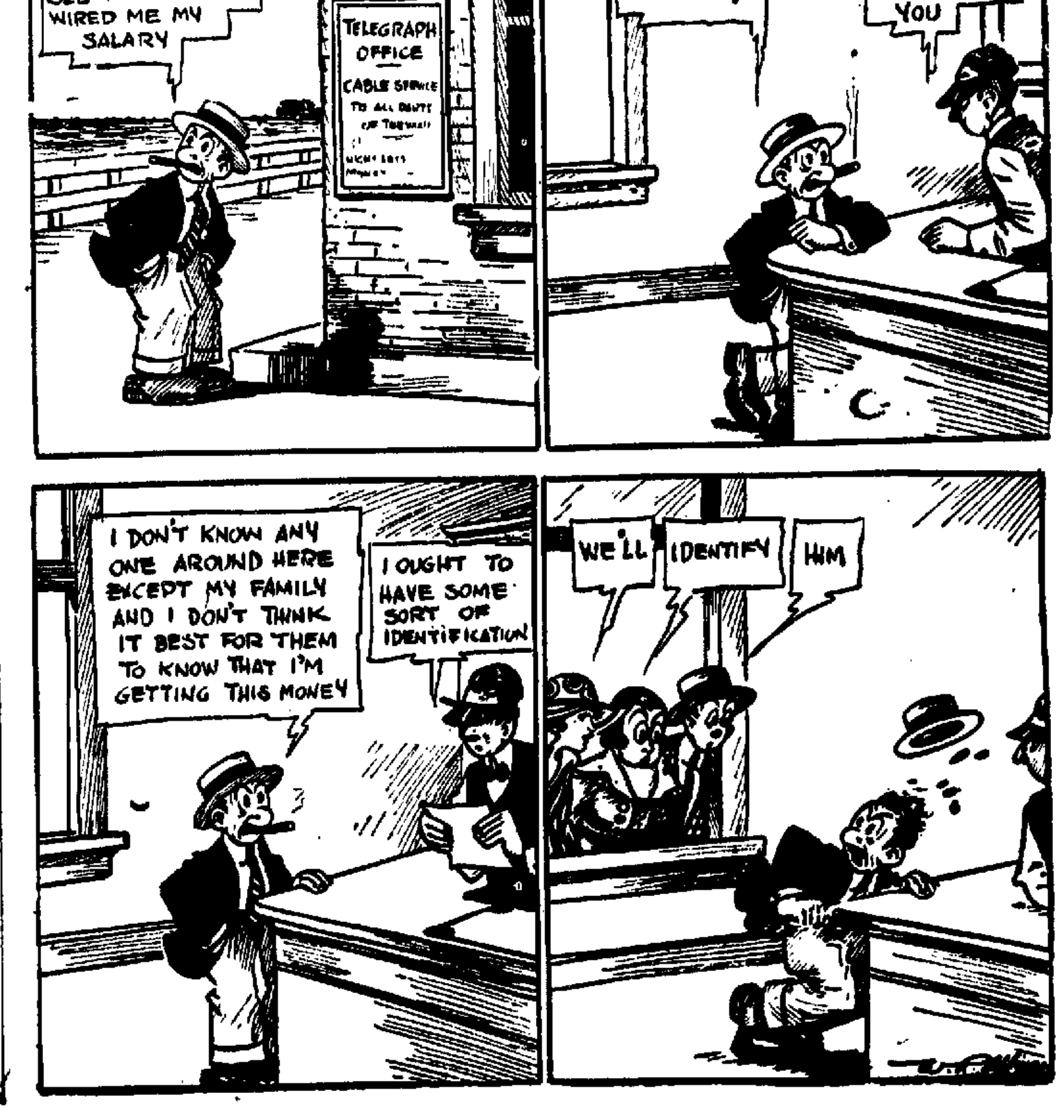
St. Johannes' German Lutheran parochial school opened Tuesday morning for the school year. Today's time was spent in assigning children to classes, giving them their list of school books, and the like but regular sessions will begin Wednesday morning.

Though more than fifty pupils finished school last year and though a number have moved away, the enrollment this year will be as large as last year, it is expected. The highest number reached in the enrollment last year was 441. This morning there were fifty beginners entering school for the first time. The total enrollment this morning was 424. Usually there are new ones coming in for several days after the opening, so the enrollment will be larger yet.

Miss Anna Bredlau has charge of the first grade, Mr. Knudh of the second, Mr. Grese of the third, A. F. Droegemueller the fourth, A. J. Holtmann the fifth H. F. Klinkermann the sixth and Rudolph Lorenz the seventh and eighth.

St. Paul's parochial school will not open until next Monday morning.

DOINGS OF THE DUFFS —By W. R. ALLMAN.



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Highway Commissioners to Make Annual Levy.

The Decatur township highway commissioners met at 10 o'clock Tuesday morning and made the annual tax levy for township purposes. They decided on sixty-one cents on the $100 valuation on all taxable property in Decatur township. The rate is the same as last year. This year it is expected that about $79,500 will be raised by this levy. The township will only get between $35,000 and $40,000, however, as half of the amount raised in the city will go for city purposes and the highway commissioners have no control over that.

ONE NEW BRIDGE.

Only one new bridge is figured on for the ensuing year. That is a new Maffit bridge. It is estimated that this bridge will cost $50,000, and that the grading of the approaches, etc., will cost $25,000, making the total cost $75,000. County aid will be asked for this bridge at the September meeting of the Board of supervisors, which will convene next Tuesday.

THIS FIREMAN GOES TO SERVICE

Samuel Morthland, Jr., Will Be Back on Force on His Return.

Samuel Morthland, Jr., has quit one job of fire fighting to go into another kind of fire fighting. He is the first member of the Decatur fire department to be taken by the draft and he leaves here Thursday. His thirty-six hour period off from the department, which each man gets each week, began Tuesday morning at 8 o'clock and as he will have to report to the exemption board before his time is up, he will not return to the department. He goes on what is termed an indefinite leave of absence for Chief Devore announced long ago that any of his men who went to the war would surely have their job back when they returned and will hold their seniority just as if they had not been out of the local service.

$12.30 CHARGE FOR SPEEDING

Second Offense Fine Expected for Speeding to Be More.

Charles Hartten was arrested by Officer John Howley Monday evening for speeding his motorcycle. Hartten pleaded guilty and was fined $12.30 by Justice O'Mara. Officer Howley gets one or two speeders every day, but it does not seem to have any effect on the others. Some day he will get a speeder for the second offense, and then the fine will make them all sit up and take notice.

Charles Hartten probably will not resist arrest again, especially if Motorcycle Officer John Howley gets after him. Hartten was speeding his motorcycle on West Main street when Officer Howley took after him. Hartten tried to get away and both were traveling out West Main at forty miles an hour. On nearing Edward street, Hartten made a sudden turn south for which the officer was unprepared but the latter was equal to the occasion. He turned, went right up over the parking, down the side walk and back out into the street. Getting down into the extreme south part of the city where the streets come to an end, Hartten went up through a yard, through a hedge fence and, then hid in a barn. Howley was right behind him, however and caught him.

OTHER ARRESTS.

Edward Kowalski was arrested Monday evening on complaint of Albert Kowalski, who charged him with assault. Edward was turned over to Sheriff Tandy on a state warrant and placed in the county jail.

The police got five drunks on Labor day and evening.

Arrests.

Edmund T. Roby, arrested on an old indictment charging assault with a deadly weapon and carrying concealed weapons, gave bond in the county court Tuesday morning in the sum of $500 to appear at the December term.

Valentine and Rosa Zielinski were arrested Tuesday morning on city and state charges of selling liquor in anti-saloon territory.

Whooping Cough.

A case of whooping cough is reported in the family of Earl Morenz, 1330 East Leafland avenue.

MAY TALK OF FOOD SUPPLIES

Grocers Interested In Reports To Hoover.

It is expected that a general review of the food situation as it has developed under the food control committee to date will be taken up at the meeting of the retail grocers association tonight.

One of the local wholesale men has been asked to speak and to give his views as to the situation from the standpoint of both the wholesaler and the retailer.

ASKS REPORTS.

Herbert Hoover has called on jobbers and retail dealers having more than $1,000 worth of food on hand to make a food report to the government. These reports are so specific and detailed that they call for considerable work. The call will affect practically all retail grocers who carry any stock to speak of and when complete will be a very minute survey of stocks on hand.

STOCK ON HAND.

As soon as the canning season is over a still more complete inventory will be asked from canner, wholesaler and retailer. It is evident that this food control business is going to mean much more than saying at what prices articles shall be sold. The food committee is trying to find out how much food it has on hand in wholesale and retail stocks.

BANKS ASKED.

The banks have also been asked to supply the committee with details as to the retail prices in the community and one list of prices has already been sent in from this city.

POSTPONE RED CROSS DANCE

Monticello, Sept. 4.—The benefit dance to be given for the local Red Cross chapter has been postponed until Friday night, Sept. 14. This was done on account of the Gentry Bros. show here on the night of Sept. 7.

Miss Myrtle Davidson returned to Chicago Monday after spending her vacation at home. She will resume her position in the Chicago schools.

Rev. H. G. Gleiser and daughters returned to their home in Wateska Friday after an extended visit here with Frank Hetishee and family.

M. E. Honey and wife have rented the new George Brady cottage on East Washington street.

Miss Jennie Schwartz, who has been for the past two months with Rev. Will Gleiser and wife at Delavan, returned home Saturday night.

Dwight Duvall and Kenneth Bell of the Great Lakes training camp spent Sunday at home.

Lieutenant J. M. Donahue of Co. C of the national guards is home on a 10 days furlough.

Eugene Marquiss, Noble Olson, Robert Shonkwiler and Dwight Reeves of the 1917 class of the Monticello high school will attend the U. of I. this year.

Mrs. A. D. Kincaid of Leitoy came last Saturday to spend a few days with her daughter, Mrs. M. E. Henry.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

Otis Victor Hurley, Milmine, 21, Edna Pearl Heitz, Milmine, 18.

START WORK ON GARAGE ANNEX

Big Addition Across Street From Shellabarger Garage.

Work was started Tuesday morning on the building of an annex to the Shellabarger fire proof garage. The new building is immediately across the street west and is at the corner of South Main and West Washington streets. The ground is owned by John Grindol, but the garage has been leased by W. L. Shellabarger & Sons and will be occupied by them immediately after it is finished.

The garage will be 40 by 110 feet, one story high, will have a concrete floor and will be practically fire proof, the only wood in it being the roof frame. It is planned to heat it from the heating plant of the present garage across the street and to use it this winter simply as an addition to the present plant.

Beginning next spring, however, it is likely that the new building will be fitted up especially for the handling of electric cars and equipment.

The contract for the building has not yet been let, but the preliminary grading is being done to save time.

"Gas" Ahead.

The thieves who tried to steal Fae Waitt's car the other night, did not have a very profitable adventure. In order to get far with the car they found they must fill the tank with gasoline, and before they got out of town, the police located the car which was returned to Mr Waitt unharmed and with fifteen gallons of gasoline in the tank.

Meetings Put Off.

The meeting of St. Paul's German Lutheran sewing circle, to have been held Thursday, has been postponed indefinitely.

The R. C. women have postponed their card party, to have been held Wednesday afternoon, for one week.

Local Notices.

BOB SATTLEY TEACHES SYSTEMATIC EXERCISING AT HIS RESIDENCE, 460 N. WATER ST.

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We wish to thank our friends and neighbors for their kindness and sympathy shown us during the sickness and death of our beloved father, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Kennedy.

RAIN MARS FAIR AT CLINTON MONDAY

Clinton, Sept. 4.—Weather conditions were poor for the opening day of the big DeWitt county fair yesterday, but despite this a good sized crowd was on the grounds.

RACES POSTPONED.

Much to the disappointment of the fair goers, the rain prevented the races for the afternoon from being held, as the track was rendered slippery. The crowd spent the afternoon in going through the stock exhibition barns and visiting the various side shows on the grounds.

CHILDREN'S AND SOLDIERS' DAY.

Today is school childrens' and old soldiers' day at the county fair. School children and old soldiers, as well as soldiers from the United States forces in uniform, are guests of the association today.

The racing program of the afternoon started at 1:30 o'clock with two free attractions. The racing program will include two races which were to have been decided on Monday, the 2:17 pace and the 2:20 trot. The one-half mile dash and the four and one-half furlong race will be run. The three-year old pace and the 2:22 pace, which were to have been on the program this afternoon, will be announced some time today for later in the week.

TWENTY RUNNING HORSES.

There are now twenty running horses on the grounds. The Mary Rudolph horses from Kenney and a carload from Doland arrived yesterday. Three stables of show horses from Missouri, Kentucky and northern Illinois arrived yesterday and filled up the entry list.

The cattle entries are all heavy. Only in the entry of poultry has there been a slight disappointment. There had been expected more poultry than has arrived. More entries are expected today, however.

DELAND AND WELDON BANDS.

On Wednesday the Deland band will come to Clinton with a delegation from that town. Weldon will come with its band on Thursday.

RAIN GENERAL IN COUNTY.

The rains of yesterday were general in DeWitt county. For the most part they laid the dust and did no particular damage. Fine, dry weather will be the greatest boon to the corn crop from now on until the end of the month, say the farmers. Most of the threshing is finished and there is only the possibility of an early frost which is between another big crop for 1917.

Albert Milton and Miss Josephine Wence of Farmer City were married at 2 o'clock by Rev. A. M. Wells, of Clinton. Mr. Milton is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Milton of Farmer City and Miss Wence is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Wence, both young people are quite well known about the eastern part of the county. Mr. Milton is nineteen years and his bride is eighteen years of age.

RAIN SPOILED I. O. O. F. PICNIC.

Only a part of the program announced for the I. O. O. F. annual picnic at Weldon Springs, scheduled for yesterday, was carried out. Some of the officers were present and gave addresses, and the usual big dinner was served at noon. The rain yesterday made the third consecutive year in which rain fell on the date announced for the annual picnic.

CITY COUNCIL ACCEPTS STREET

Little Business at Tuesday Morning's Session.

At the meeting of the city council Tuesday morning the board of local improvements reported the acceptance of the Prairie avenue pavement between Broadway and the Illinois Central and recommended that the comptroller be instructed to settle with the contractor. The report was adopted.

The total cost of the pavement was $3,101.71. The amount assessed was $3,073.95, leaving a deficit of $28.76. That was the only business before the council.

People You Know

Miss Leona Perkins, 627 Powers Bldg., has returned from a three weeks' vacation spent in Ohio and Kentucky.

M. E. Lobenstein and son Arthur, are spending the week in Chicago. While there, they are visiting at the Fort Sheridan training camp and at the Great Lake Naval station.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Klausmeier and children, 206 South Taylor avenue, left Tuesday in the car to St. Louis, where they will visit until the end of the week.

Fred Colbeck of Chicago formerly of Decatur, is in the city visiting friends. Mr. Colbeck expects to be called to France soon to assist in the building of a huge refrigerator.

Mrs. Ward Jordan and son, Luther, 403 East Division street, returned Monday from a ten days visit in Cuba, New York with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Moma and Mrs. Fannie Pemble, 1424 West Macon street are visiting Mrs. Samuel Dickey in Wapella.

Mrs. C. B. Erwin and daughter, Frances, 1046 North Church street, have returned from a few days visit with their cousin, Mrs. R. M. Hughes in Quincy.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Stewart and son, Oscar, returned Monday from a few days visit with their son, Glen Stewart in Quincy.

Miss Clara Burns, Miss Ruth Ott, Miss Ada Dillsand, Miss Leona Sutman of Blue Mound spent Sunday and Monday with friends in New Berlin.

Miss Lillian Collier, 1038 North Church street, returned today from a two weeks' visit with her uncle, Dr. Rink in Chicago.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Triff and daughter, Ethel, of Boone, Ia., returned to their home Monday after visiting Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Esch 1557 East William street.

Mr. and Mrs. V. Brown, 1805 East William street, left Tuesday for a visit with friends in Parsons, Kan.

Mrs. Edward Riggs of Boone, Ia., is in the city visiting friends.

Mrs. Charles Romanus and daughter, Charlotte, will leave Wednesday morning by way of St. Louis for Manhattan, Kan., for a visit with the former's sister, Mrs. Frank Cassin. On her return Mrs. Romanus will bring back with her her daughter, Margaret, who has been at Manhattan for two months.

Mrs. George Van Cleve has moved from 613 West Wood street to the Espe flats on Eldorado street.

Miss Victoria Bronson, who will have charge of the school and branch libraries arrived in Decatur Tuesday, and started immediately at work at the Parke school branch.

MINISTERS MEET.

A brief session was held by the Ministerial association Monday to hear the report of the program committee for the year. The committee is composed of Revs. Frank Fox, Rev. R. E. Hoke and Rev. N. M. Blair. Some changes are being made in the program as outlined, so it is not yet ready for announcement.

Rev. J. R. Gibbon was appointed secretary to fill the vacancy caused by the departure of W. H. Duerr.

The association will have its first regular meeting in two weeks from yesterday, at which time the new president, Rev. S. E. Long will make his opening address.

FOR DRAFTED MEN.

Honoring four young men from the church who are among the drafted men, the Christian Endeavor society of the second United Brethren church had a social Monday evening at the home of J. F. White, with about sixty people in attendance. The evening was enjoyably passed, ice cream was served. At the close a farewell service was held.

The four young men leaving are Albert Spitzer, Newton Whitacre, Walter Flickinger and Lawrence Bland.

LABOR DAY TALKS.

A good sized audience heard the Labor day talks at the Church of the Brethren Monday night. Speakers were Perry Oliver, Perry Huffaker, Thomas McGoldon and O. G. Davis. Opening devotions were led by D. W. Cripe, and the closing exercises by Charles Ashenfelter.

At the close of the meeting one person was received into the church by baptism.

MARKETS.

CHICAGO BOARD OF TRADE QUOTATIONS

[Furnished by Ware & Leland]

Chicago, Sept. 4.—Following is the range of prices with Saturday's close:

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.	Sat.
CORN—					
Dec.	111⅝@111¼	113⅝	111	111¼	111⅝
May	108 @107⅝	109⅝	107⅞	107⅝	107⅝
OATS—					
Sep.	56¼@ 56¼	57¼	55⅝	56	56¼
Dec.	56⅛@ 55⅞	56½	55	55⅛	55⅝
May	59⅝@ 59	59⅝	58⅛	58⅛	59
PORK—					
Oct.	4325@	4325	4290	4295	4340
LARD—					
Sep.	2365@	2367	2355	2355	2372
Oct.	2352@	2365	2350	2350	2367
RIBS—					
Sep.	2365@	2365	2360	2360	2377
Oct.	2362@	2362	2357	2357	2375

Market Gossip.

LONDON SILVER.

London, Sept. 4.—Bar silver, 47½d per ounce.
Money, 3¾ per cent.

PRIMARY MOVEMENTS.

Receipts—	Today.	Yr. Ago.
Wheat	1,508,000	3,304,000
Corn	400,000	898,000
Oats	2,730,000	2,427,000
Shipments—		
Wheat	478,000	2,690,000
Corn	318,000	373,000
Oats	1,253,000	1,173,000

CHICAGO CARS.

	Rcts.	Cont.	Estd.	Yr. Ago.
Wheat	7	2	7	73
Corn	39	13	19	162
Oats	151	40	154	285

LIVE STOCK.

Chicago Live Stock.

Chicago, Sept. 4.—Hogs declined in price today, owing to the poor quality of the offerings. Cattle and sheep were also largely of an unattractive sort.

HOGS — Receipts 7,000 head; estimated receipts for Wednesday, 14,000 head; market slow, 5 to 10 cents under yesterday's average. Bulk of sales, $17.40@18.45; light, $16.75@18.50; mixed, $16.70@18.60; heavy, $16.00@18.55; rough, $16.00@16.90; pigs, $11.50@16.50.

CATTLE — Receipts 15,000 head; estimated receipts for Wednesday, 25,000 head; market steady. Native beef cattle, $7.85@10.75; western steers, $6.80@15.25; stockers and feeders, $6.00@9.15; cows and heifers, $4.50@13.00; calves, $11.75@15.50.

SHEEP — Receipts 13,000 head; estimated receipts for Wednesday, 15,000 head; market unsettled. Wethers, $7.85@11.40; lambs, $11.25@17.50.

Cleveland Live Stock.

U. S. Yards, Cleveland, Sept. 4.—Bower & Boner report hog receipts 1,600 head, market lower. Yorkers and mediums $18.50, pigs $16.50, lambs, $16.00, calves, $16.00, cattle, $5.50@10.50.

Indianapolis Live Stock.

U. S. Yards, Indianapolis, Sept. 4.—Hog receipts 5,500 head, market generally 20 cents lower. Top price $18.35; bulk of sales, $18@18.30. Cattle receipts 1,200 head, market steady.

Kansas City Live Stock.

Kansas City, Sept. 4.—HOGS — Receipts 7,000 head, market lower. Bulk of sales, $17.60@18.30, heavy, $18.25@18.50, packers and butchers, $18.00@18.50, light, $17.40@18.30, pigs, $15.00@16.50.

CATTLE — Receipts 22,000 head, market steady. Cows, $6.00@10.00, heifers, $7.50@13.00, stockers and feeders, $7.00@12.50, bulls, $6.25@8.50, calves, $7.00@11.50.

SHEEP — Receipts 1,000 head, market higher. Lambs, $16.50@17.50, yearlings, $11.00@17.00, wethers, $10.00@12.00, ewes, $9.00@10.50.

St. Louis Live Stock.

St. Louis, Sept. 4.—HOGS—Receipts 6,000 head, market lower. Light, $18.10@18.40, pigs, $13.00@17.50, mixed and butchers, $18.15@18.50, good heavy, $18.40@18.55, bulk of sales, $18.15@18.50.

CATTLE — Receipts 6,000 head, market steady. Cows, $5.00@10.00, stockers and feeders, $6.50@9.50, prime yearling steers and heifers, $7.50@10.00, native calves, $5.75@15.50.

SHEEP — Receipts 5,500 head, market steady. Lambs, $11.00@16.75; ewes, $9.00@9.50; wethers, $10.50@12.00, canners and choppers, $4.50@6.50.

PRODUCE.

Chicago Produce.

Chicago, Sept. 4.—BUTTER — Market steady. Creamery, 38@41½c.

EGGS — Market higher. Receipts 6,781 cases. Firsts, 38½@39c; ordinary firsts, 34@36c; at mark (cases included), 33½@36c.

POTATOES — Market lower. Receipts 40 cars. Jersey and Maryland bulk $1.15@1.20; Minnesota, Ohio bulk, $1.00@1.05; Wisconsin, 90@$1.00.

POULTRY — Market for live poultry higher. Fowls, 21@24c; springs, 24c.

New York Sugar.

New York, Sept. 4.—SUGAR—Market raw sugar unsettled. Centrifugal 7.02, molasses, 6.14. Market for refined sugar quiet. Cut loaf, $9.90, crushed, $9.60, mould "A," $8.90, cubes, $9.15@9.25, XXXX powdered, $8.60@8.70; powdered, $8.50@8.70; fine granulated, $8.40@8.50, diamond "A," $8.40, confectioners "A," $8.20@8.50, No. 1, $8.10@8.35.

New York Produce.

New York, Sept. 4.—BUTTER — Market firm. Receipts 9,024 tubs. Creamery, higher than extras, 43½@44½c; creamery, extras, 92 score, 43½c; firsts, 41½@43c; seconds, 39½@41c.

EGGS — Market steady. Receipts 14,055 cases. First gathered extras, 44@45c; extra firsts, 42@43c; firsts, 39@41c; seconds, 36@38c; state Pennsylvania and nearby hennery whites, fine to fancy, 51@52c.

POULTRY — Market for live poultry firm; no prices quoted. Dressed poultry firm. Chickens, 22@30c, fowls, 20@27c, turkeys, 30@32c.

GRAIN.

Peoria Cash Market.

Peoria, Sept. 4.—CORN—Market 3 to 3½ cents lower; No. 1 yellow, $2.00, No. 3 yellow, $2.02; No. 2 mixed, $2.02, No. 3 mixed, $2.01½; No. 5 mixed, $2.00@2.01, No. 6 mixed, $1.98.

OATS—Market ½ to ¼ cent higher. No. 2 white, 58½c; standard, 58c; No. 3 white, 57½@57¾c; No. 4 white, 57½c.

Chicago Cash Market.

Chicago, Sept. 4.—WHEAT — No. 2 red, $2.17@2.20; No. 3 red, $2.14@2.18; No. 2 hard, $2.17@2.22, No. 3 hard, $2.14@2.19.

CORN—No. 2 yellow, $2.08@2.11; No. 3 yellow and No. 4 yellow, nominal.

OATS—No. 3 white, 55@55c; standard, 55½@56½c.

RYE—No. 2, $1.79@1.80.
BARLEY—$1.10@1.20.
TIMOTHY—$10.00@18.00.
CLOVER—$15.00@20.00.
PORK—$43.00.
LARD—$23.00.
RIBS—$23.35@23.85.

Minneapolis Wheat.

Minneapolis, Sept. 4.—WHEAT — Not quoted.
CORN—No. 3 yellow, $2.05@2.06.
OATS—No. 3 white, 56½@58½c.
FLAX—$3.34@3.30.

St. Louis Cash Market.

St. Louis, Sept. 4.—WHEAT — No. 1 red, $2.22; No. 2 red, $2.20@2.22, No. 3 red, $2.13@2.20; No. 3 red, $2.08@2.15; No. 2 hard, $2.16@2.20, No. 3 hard, $2.10@2.15.

CORN—No. 1, $2.02; No. 2, 2.00@2.02; No. 4 yellow, $2.04; No. 2 yellow, $2.08; No. 3 yellow, $2.06; No. 2 white, $2.10, No. 3 white, $2.10.

OATS—Standard, 59c; No. 3 white, 56@56½c; No. 4 white, 56½@58½c; No. 2, 59@59½c; No. 3, 58c.

CORN PRICES WEAKEN AT CLOSE

Chicago, Sept. 4.—Government buying of wheat began today, and proceeded as automatically as operations over the counter at any ordinary national bank. There was only one standard of values, the basis of $2.20 a bushel for number one northern grade. Consignees in receipt of wheat merely had to send their commodity into store at a warehouse, and on turning the receipt over to a representative of the food administrator were given a check for cash in full payment. The turning over of the warehouse receipts in exchange for checks was not done in the Board of Trade, but in an office building a couple of squares distant.

Estimates were current that the 1917 domestic yield would be about 687,000,000 bushels, an enlargement of 25,000,000 bushels since Aug. 1.

CORN.

Frost damage reports from the northwest had a bullish effect on corn. Most of the crop injury was done in Minnesota and North Dakota. Opening prices which ranged from ⅛ cent off to ¼ cent advance, with December at $1.11¼ to $1.11⅜, and May at $1.07⅝ to $1.08, were followed by an advance all around to well above Saturday's finish.

Assertions by a leading expert that the crop condition for the United States as a whole on Sept. 1 was 76, as compared with 79.2 on Aug. 1, gave a further advantage to the bulls. Weakness in the New York stock market, however, led to a decided reaction at the last. Prices closed heavy ⅝ cent to ⅞ cent net lower, with December at $1.11 to $1.11⅛ and May at $1.07¼ to $1.07⅝.

Oats sympathized with the strength of corn. Offerings were unusually light.

Lower quotations on hogs pulled down provisions. On the decline however, packers turned to the buying side, and brought about something of a rally.

DECATUR MARKETS.

Decatur dealers are offering the following prices for grain:

Wheat	$1.90
Corn, Yellow	$1.85@1.90
White and mixed	1.85
Oats	.52
Rye	1.20

Butter and Eggs.
Quoted by Max Atlass.

Eggs	.54
Butter, packing	.37

Poultry.
(Quotations to producers by Max Atlass)

Hens, 4½ lbs. and over	.20
Hens, mediums	.18
Springs, 1½ to 2 lbs.	.18
Springs, 1½ to 2 lbs.	.17
Cocks	.11
Stags	.13
Old toms	.20
Young Turkeys, 9 lbs and over	.22
Geese	.16
Ducks, young	.12
Live pigeons, per doz.	.60

Live Stock.
Quoted daily by C. J. Dunzelsen & Son.

Heavy sows	$14.00	$14.00
Hogs, 150-175 lbs.	16.80	....
Choice young hogs, 200 lbs.	17.25	....
Choice young hogs, 200 lbs.	17.25	....
Shipping steers	8.00	9.00
Butcher steers	6.00	8.50
Choice cows	6.00	6.50
Medium cows	5.00	5.50
Bulls	5.00	7.00
Choice heifers	7.50	8.50
Heifers, medium	6.00	7.00
Sheep	6.00	8.00
Sheep	4.00	5.00
Spring lambs	15.00	16.00
Yearling lambs	10.00	13.00
Veal calves	7.00	8.50

Hides and Wool.

Horse hides, large	6.00	7.00
Horse hides, small	3.00	5.00
Sheep pelts	.80	1.50
Green beef hides	.17	....
Cured hides	....	.20
Lamb pelts	.25	.50
Medium wool	.60	.60
Western wool	.55	.60
Burry wool	.30	.45

In most directions the roads are in fair shape but north and west are quite muddy as the result of Monday's rain. Oiled roads, however, are in good shape, and in some places where rain fell it was only enough to lay the dust. Reports Tuesday were:

Shelbyville—Roads fair; rough.

Illiopolis—Roads here are quite muddy. A heavy rain fell Monday.

Harristown—Oiled roads are good but the other roads are muddy.

Tuscola—All main roads in fair shape.

Bement—Bement had a hard rain Sunday afternoon. Roads not oiled were muddy afterward.

Pana—Light shower. Dust nicely laid. Roads in fine condition.

Hammond—Roads in fair condition. Light rain Monday night.

Clinton—It rained all day Monday and Monday night, and roads all around are muddy.

Lincoln—Roads here are muddy, due to heavy rain.

Champaign—No rain, roads good.

BILL FOR FENDER THAT HIT LOG

County Superintendent Does Not Expect to Dig Up Bill.

Preston T. Hicks, county superintendent of roads and bridges, has received a letter from F. B. Rundle, of Clinton, enclosing a bill for $15 for damage done his Cadillac car when it collided with a log from the big cottonwood tree that stood in the Bloomington road until recently cut down. Mr. Rundle explains that a fender was torn off his machine, and that it cost $15 to replace it, and he expects Mr. Hicks to present the bill to the parties responsible for the log.

Mr. Hicks says that there is a thirty-foot road way there and that the log was in the ditch and an automobile would have to go out of its way to hit it. Mr. Hicks will do nothing about paying the bill.

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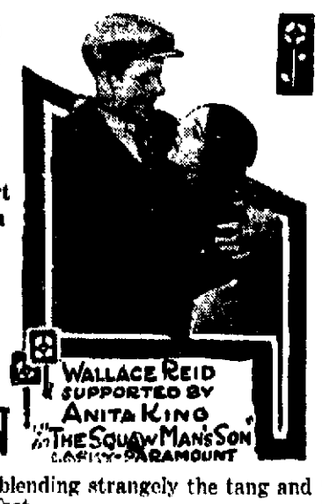

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LINE OF MARCH AND PROGRAM FOR DRAFTED MEN'S RECEPTION

Out North Main And Back—Speakers To Be At Central Park.

All details for the big parade Wednesday in honor of the men drafted from Decatur and Macon county for the new army have been completed, and it now remains only for the weather man to do his part in making this the most notable event of its kind ever held in Decatur.

LINE OF MARCH.

The line of march has been definitely decided to be on North Main street from the transfer house on Lincoln Square, north to Division street, and then counter march on the same street, back to Lincoln Square, where the line will turn east on East Main street and north on Water street to Central Park, where the speaking and other exercises will take place immediately after the parade.

SPEAKING PROGRAM.

The program in the park will open with a selection by the band, followed by an invocation by Rev. Fr. J. Murphy.

Admiral C. B. T. Moore will be chairman of the meeting and there will be short addresses by:

Mayor Dan Dinneen,
Robert I. Hunt,
J. A. McNally,
J. S. Baldwin.

Rev. Frank Fox will pronounce the benediction.

Mrs. Jane Johns will also greet the drafted men and give them a word of congratulation on their opportunity to serve the nation. A patriotic song by everybody present will conclude the program.

All individuals and organizations are urged to carry flags, and there will be a place for everyone who will march.

START AT 7 P. M.

The parade will start promptly at 7 o'clock and organizations not ready at that time must fall into the line wherever they can, as it is determined that the start shall be made with military promptness.

As far as practicable the women are asked to dress in white, but it is not absolutely essential.

DIVISIONS.

The various divisions of the parade and their places of formation are announced as follows:

Division No. 1.

Forms in South Main street, 100 block.

Grand Marshal Admiral C. B. T. Moore. Aid, C. Howard Krigbaum.

1—Mounted Police.
2—Grand Marshal and Aid.
3—Band.
4—Mayor and City Officials.
5—Executive Committee.
6—City Exemption Board.
7—County Exemption Board.
8—G. A. R. escorted by Boy Scouts.
9—Spanish War Veterans.
10—Dentists commissioned for service.
11—Drafted men.
12—Military Training club.
13—Letter Carriers.

Sections 2 to 8 inclusive, will form on east side street and sections 9 to 13 inclusive on west side of street.)

Division No. 2.

Forms in South Main street, 200 block.

Assistant Marshal, S. O. Kennedy.

Aides, J. W. Layman and F. O. Damrow.

1—M. W. of A. Camp No. 144 Forster team.
2—M. W. of A. Camp No. 1626, Forster team.
3—M. W. of A. Camp No. 144.
4—M. W. of A. Camp No 1626.
5—Canton No. 19, I. O. O. F.
6—Encampment No. 37, I. O. O. F.
7—Decatur lodge No. 65, I. O. O. F.
8—Celestial lodge No. 186, I. O. O. F.
9—Uniform Rank, Knights of Pythias.
10—Knights of Pythias, No. 17.
11—Knights of Pythias, No. 189.
12—Knights of Pythias, No. 593.
13—Elks.

Sections 1 to 8 inclusive, will form on west side of street and sections 9 to 13 inclusive, on east side of street.)

Division No. 3.

Form in East Washington street.

Assistant Marshal, T. F. Muleady.

Aides, G. N. Egnor and Charles Bridges.

1—Knights of Columbus.
2—Eagles.
3—Sangamon Tribe No. 145, Red Men.
4—Winona Tribe, No. 274, Red Men.
5—Loyal Order of Moose.

(Sections 1 to 4 inclusive, form in 100 block and section 5 in 200 block.)

Division No. 4.

Forms in East Wood street, 100 block.

Assistant marshal, Press Wagsoner.

Aides, Mrs. J. R. Watson and Mrs G. N. Egnor.

1—Ladies' Auxiliary, Spanish War Veterans.
2—Ladies' Auxiliary, Sons of Veterans.
3—Women's Relief corps.
4—Progress Rebekah, No. 1141.
5—Starlight Rebekah, No. 767.
6—Pocahontas, No. 54.
7—Pocahontas, No 67.
8—Pocahontas, No. 156.
9—Federation of Mothers' clubs.

Following will form in East Wood street, 200 block:

Assistan marshal, John Howard.

Aides, Mrs. A. R. Eshelman and Mrs. Etta Koons.

1—Royal Neighbors, No. 129.
2—Royal Neighbors, No. 218.
3—Royal Neighbors, No. 4031.
4—Moosheart Legion.
5—Eastern Star.
6—Pythian Sisters, No. 2.
7—Pythian Sisters, No. 18.
8—Pythian Sisters, No. 137.
9—Woman's Union Label league.
10—Miscellaneous and unattached women.

Division No. 5.

Forms on West Wood street, west of Main street.

Assistant marshal, Waldo Cross.

1—Painters' union.
2—Carpenters' union.
3—Barbers' union.
4—Miners' union, No. 781.
5—Miners' union, No. 2622.
6—Machinists' union, No. 493.
7—Electrical Workers' union, No. 146.
8—Retail Clerks' union.
9—Printers' union.
10—Plumbers' union.
11—Moulders' union.
12—Cigarmakers' union.
13—Stage Employes' and Moving Picture Operators' union.
14—Teamsters' union.
15—Hod Carriers' union.

Division No. 6.

Forms in West Washington street, 100 block.

Assistant marshal, Irving P. Bright.

Aides, F. M. Lindsay and S. A. Cribbens.

1—The City club of Decatur.
2—Decatur Advertising club.
3—Rotary club.
4—Association of Commerce.
5—Staley Fellowship club.
6—Civics club members, not identified above.

Division No. 7.

Forms in South Main street, 300 block.

Assistant marshal, J. O. Engleman.

Aide, John F. Mattes

1—Junior Sanitation league.
2—School children.

Division No. 8.

Forms in East Macon street, east of Main.

Assistant marshal, Ralph Monroe.

Aide, Merle Colby

Miscellaneous, being for all men not assigned to other divisions.

RECEPTION TO DRAFTED MEN.

Invitations have been issued by the Executive Committee to 410 men who have been certified by the city and county exemption boards for service in the National army. They are to assemble in the court house where they will receive their red, white and blue arm bands. The reception committee is composed of the following: Executive committee, City and County Exemption Boards, Judges Whitfield and McCoy and E. Wright Allen.

The assignments of bands for the parade will be made later.

"EVER READY" SONG.

As a part of the musical program to be rendered by the Ever Ready Male Quartet at the patriotic celebration on Wednesday evening, the following lines will be sung as a part of the song entitled, "Illinois":

In the world's great war for freedom,
Illinois,
When the nations call, you heed them,
Illinois,
And for men on land and sea,
They'll not vainly turn to thee,
For mankind must be made free.
Illinois.

These words were written by Mr. Ed. Davis, first tenor of the Ever Ready Male Quartet, and the verse is respectfully dedicated to the men in whose honor the demonstration has been planned on Wednesday evening

PART OF SCHOOLS.

Superintendent Engleman Would Like to See All High School Pupils.

Public school students of both the high school and junior high school are urged to take part in the parade Wednesday evening. Superintendent Engleman would like to see every boy in these two schools in the parade. Girls will be welcomed but are not urged as the parade will be somewhat long and it may tax the strength of girls who are not used to walking.

The students will be in division No. 7 which will assemble on South Main street in the 300 block. A number of teachers including the superintendent of schools and the principal of the high school will be there to assist in marshaling the students. The hour for assembling will be from 6:30 to 7 o'clock.

NOTICES.

Drafted men who wish to march in the ranks of the Military Training club are asked to report for drill at the Guards Armory Tuesday night at 7:45 for final instructions.

Mrs. Rollin S. Pease, president of the Federation of Mothers' Clubs, asks that the organization members take special notice of the location given in the parade to the Federation and that the members turn out in force.

The Knights of Columbus will meet at their club rooms at 6:30 Wednesday night to participate in the parade. Grand Knight T. F. Muleady has announced that all members without exception are expected to participate in the parade.

Members of Starlight Council Degree of Pocahontas will meet at Red Men Hall at 6:30 and to bring flags.

All Elks are requested to report at the Elks home at 6:30 to take part in the parade.

Members of Progress Rebekah lodge, 141, are to meet at the I. O. O. F. hall on North Main street at 6:30 Wednesday evening to attend the parade.

The aides to Waldo Cross, marshal for Division 5, in the big parade for Wednesday night, are announced to be:

A. Hoots.
Carl Ewing.
Emil Reinholt.

Dwight Burdick, president of the Decatur Trade and Labor Assembly, especially requests that any union men who belong to organizations which cannot be represented in the parade in a body and who would like to march in the parade, join Division 5, and march in miscellaneous group in that division.

Members of the Mothers' club of the Jackson street school, are to meet at 6:30 Wednesday evening at the school to take part in the parade.

The men who wish to march in the ranks of the Military Training club are asked to report at the Guards' Armory at 7:45 tonight for drill and final instructions.

The regular Tuesday, Wednesday and Friday drills and Sunday morning hikes will be continued for the benefit of the drafted men and others who wish to take advantage of the training.

Five members of the club are now in training at Fort Sheridan and several others are among the first men selected to leave for Camp Dodge.

The resident interest in the patriotic parade Wednesday evening is shown in the number of specially called meetings of fraternal orders to prepare themselves for their place in the parade.

The following notices have been issued by authorities of various fraternal organizations:

Members of Starlight Council, Degree of Pocohontas, are requested to meet Wednesday evening at 6:30 p.m. at the Redmen's hall to march in the parade. The members are all requested to bring flags which they will carry in the parade.

The southwestern division of the Junior Sanitation League will meet Wednesday evening at the Y. M. C. A. to form for the parade.

Members of the Teamsters' union will meet Wednesday evening at 6:30 at the union hall, to form for line of march in the parade.

Members of Olive Branch camp No. 216, R. N. A., are requested to meet at the K. P. hall Wednesday evening at 6.45 for the patriotic parade.

Members of Scot Wilson Camp No. 85, U. S. W. V., will report at 6:30 p.m. Wednesday evening at their hall on South Park street to participate in the patriotic parade Wednesday evening.

The Ladies Auxiliary to the Spanish War Veterans will also report at the same place at the same time.

All members of the Fraternal Order of Eagles, Decatur Aerie No. 307, will meet at the Eagles' club, corner South Water and Washington streets, at 6:30 p.m., Wednesday evening to participate in the patriotic parade.

Printers are to meet at 6:30 at the I. O. O. F. hall on North Main street, to attend the parade.

RED CROSS COMMITTEE

Various Reports Heard at Executive Meeting.

At a meeting of the executive committee of the Decatur chapter of the Red Cross Tuesday afternoon, a committee consisting of Mrs. Max Hurd, Mrs. J. E. Freeman and Mrs. Eva Huston was appointed to have general charge of the participation of the Red Cross in the celebration in honor of the drafted men Wednesday night.

It was also decided that the work of completing the tabulation of members received during the big war fund campaign should be completed quickly so that the total of Macon county's membership could be finally and fully stated.

Various reports on the work done were also made and they showed that large amounts of materials had been purchased for the hospital supply and garment making departments of the organization.

ONE WILL SELL FLOUR AT $3.35

Beginning Of Drop In Price Of Bread.

One grocer announces that he will sell flour for $3.35 a sack, beginning Wednesday morning. This particular flour has been selling at $3.50 but he will start in at the new price at once. It is believed that the retail price of flour will settle around $3.10 to $3.25, although some dealers believe that it will not be much above $3 on the present basis of wheat.

BREAD.

Full 16 ounce loaves of bread are also being offered for 10 cents. Whether or not this price will be lowered remains unsettled although it is not considered likely that a full pound loaf will sell for much less than a dime.

Sugar is being sold at $7.50 for a 25 pound bag. A wholesaler states that the consumers should understand that the proposed price of sugar under government control does not take effect until nearly November as he understands the ruling, and that then it is not so very much different from the prices now made when the freight is added to the figures made by the food committee.

OFF TO DUTY AT CAMP BOWIE

John Kuhns of Argenta Tells of Camp at Rockford.

Second Lieutenant John Kuhns of Argenta left Tuesday morning for Fort Worth, Tex., where he has been assigned to the Oklahoma National Guards in camp at Camp Bowie, there. He has been in Decatur for a brief visit before leaving for his new commission.

He went to Camp Logan on the 29th and after a short stay there was ordered to Texas. He describes the Rockford camp as being one of the most perfect military cantonments that he has seen. Just at present the dust in the camp is almost unbearable.

Everywhere along the camp streets houses are being built to receive the incoming drafted men. By selecting only a small percent of the total quota, the camp will be amply sufficient to house the new troops by the time that they arrive. Those for the camp in the first or second consignment stand good chances of becoming non-commissioned officers on account of the superior advantages of the early training which they will receive.

COAL MINE'S VALUE $350,000

Certificate of Incorporation of Macon County Coal Co.

The certificate of incorporation of the Macon County Coal company, successor to the Manufacturers and Consumers Coal company, has been filed for record. The capital stock is placed at $200,000, and the life of the corporation at ninety-nine years. The incorporators are Harry D. Gullikson, Fred W. Kohl, Walter Taggart, J. Fritsch, Harvey D. Hanscom, Glenn Putnam, F. M. Kilby, C. C. Hoxworth and E. D. Rieger.

The capital stock is all paid in and is represented by the entire coal mine property, including over 500 acres of coal rights. The paper states that the appraised value of the property is $350,000, and "is taken subject to a mortgage of $60,000, and the company is to issue its bonds in the further sum of $90,000 in payment of the balance of the purchase price."

Married at Wilwaukee.

Henry R. Lee, chemist, rooming at 440 West Macon street, is to be married today in Milwaukee to Frances Gardner, of that city

MANY OFF ON LONG TRIPS

Homeseekers Tickets Sold To 25 Or 30.

The fall tourist season started with a rush Tuesday, the first "homeseekers day" in the month of September. Between 25 and 30 homeseekers tickets were sold to points in the north, northwest, and southwest by the local ticket agencies.

At the Wabash fifteen homeseekers' tickets were sold to different points throughout the day, while the Illinois Central had about the same number of persons out of Decatur.

Dr. Dora Martin left Tuesday for Perry, Okla., where she will visit for a month.

Others who took advantage of the tourist rates Tuesday on the Illinois Central and the places to which tickets read were: Ora Davis, Eagle Pass, Tex.; Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Queem, Platte, S. D.; Clara Fremd Sioux City, Ia.; Inez Mulhall, and Cora Travis, Hot Springs, Ark.; Charles Matlock, Pembine, Okla.; George Perry, Reynolds, N. D.

AT HOSPITAL.

Gus Nalefski, veteran engine despatcher at the Wabash, who is at the Wabash hospital with kidney trouble, is getting along as well as could be expected, although it will be several days yet before he is able to leave.

Edward Kusch, Wabash machinist, who was injured when he was caught between a support and a tender step, last Fourth of July, is able to be about on crutches. He will not be able to work for some time yet.

INSTRUCTION CAR.

The Wabash enginemen's school of instruction will be held Sept. 10 to 25 inclusive. Instruction car No. 9 will arrive from Brooklyn, sometime Sunday, Sept. 9, and the school will start Monday.

W. H. Danes will be the engineer in charge. The schedule of lectures has not been announced as yet, but will be posted later.

RAILROAD GOSSIP.

New assignments for Forrest enginemen have been posted at the Wabash engine despatcher's office.

N. C. Tramp and family, have returned from a vacation trip to Lake Mills, Wis.

The second of the tests for ratings on the 2500 series of Wabash engines was started Tuesday morning, when one of the big engines left with a freight for the south end. The train was loaded 45 per cent over the rating of the 2400 series.

Engine 616 is being worked over at the Wabash roundhouse.

E. C. Probst, chief clerk in the office of Superintendent Taber Hamilton, returned Monday from a two weeks' vacation trip to Mammoth Cave, Ky., and points in Indiana.

S. E. Colter, general manager of the Wabash, passed through Decatur Tuesday morning in his special car on No. 4 east, on his way to Peru, Ind., on a general inspection trip.

HUFFER REUNION NEAR COWDEN

Decatur and Indiana Parties Go in Their Cars.

A happy reunion took place Sunday, Sept. 2, at the old Noah Huffer homestead, three miles northeast of Cowden, Ill. The youngest and only living daughter, Mrs. John McMillen, now resides there with her family.

Those present were members of the Huffer family and families with which the Huffers have intermarried, including Simon Huffer and Mrs. Emma Huffer of Decatur, George W. Huffer, Mrs. Ines S. Huffer and daughter, Hortense Huffer, of Shelbyville, John McMillen, Mrs. Mary S. McMillen, Miss Cecil McMillen, Miss Mabel McMillen, Hoyt McMillen, Miss Jeannette McMillen, Lloyd Lockart and Mrs. Pearl (McMillen) Lockart, Cowden, Will McCall, Mrs. Clara McCall, Miss Gertruda Wade, Terre Haute, Ind., Mrs. Allie Eliot, daughter and son, Mardell and Floyd Eliot, Warren, Ind.

Simon Huffer and Mrs. Emma Huffer of Decatur motored to Shelbyville Saturday night where they remained over night with Mr. Huffer's brother. There the Terre Haute party met them Sunday morning about 9 a. m. in their car with the Warren, Ind. party. All then motored on to the old Huffer home, where a sumptuous dinner was served by Mrs. McMillen and daughters, after which a few snap shots were taken of the group.

About 3 p. m. the Terre Haute party started on their return trip of 106½ miles, traveling a total distance of 213 miles to participate in this reunion, meeting some relatives which they had not seen for 18 years.

MARRIED.

ANDERSON-SNIDER.

Miss Hazel M. Snider, 748 West Prairie avenue, and William H. Anderson, 1418 North Morgan street, were quietly married last Friday at 3:30 p. m. in Effingham. The couple spent their honeymoon in the southern part of the state with the groom's mother, returning to Decatur Monday.

The groom has been employed at the Leader Iron Works for the past five years, but has resigned because of the selected draft order. Mrs. Anderson will remain in Decatur at 748 West Prairie, until after the war.

CLUB MEETINGS.

The Priscilla Pleasure club will meet Thursday afternoon with Mrs. Olivia Danny and her sister, Mrs. Lillian Thomas in the 500 block on South Boyd street.

Decatur and Macon County Hospital Aid society will have an all day quilting Thursday at the home of Mrs. Sam Troutman, 906 West Macon street. The women are to bring their lunch with them. In the afternoon the Third Ward Aid will elect its officers.

Members of the Red Cross who have been meeting at the home of Mrs. W. L. Klausmeier, 206 South Taylor avenue, to sew, will meet at the home of Mrs. C. H. Pierce, 1466 West Macon street, until the end of the week.

The White Rose club of the L. A. to R. of R. T. will meet Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. May Wysong, 1062 East North street.

The Elite club will meet Thursday with Mrs. Lynn Davis, 1061 West Decatur street.

NEWS OF DEATH OF B. THOMAS

Enlisted Three Weeks Ago In Decatur.

Thomas Thomas, 1227 West Cerro Gordo street, received a message from Jefferson Barracks, Mo., Tuesday, stating that his son, Thomas Byron Thomas, had died there at 7 o'clock in the morning.

The telegram gave no particulars. The body will be brought to Moran's undertaking establishment and will probably arrive Wednesday morning. The boy was twenty years old. He enlisted at Decatur three weeks ago today, going to the aviation section of the signal corps.

Thomas Byron Thomas was born in Decatur May 27, 1897, and had lived here all his life. He was fond of athletics and had a reputation as a swimmer and high diver. He attended the Decatur school and was well known. Besides his parents he is survived by three sisters, Valerian Thomas, Ellen Thomas and Evelyn Thomas, all of Decatur.

Later word from the barracks at St. Louis was that Thomas died Monday night of abscess of the brain.

INJURY BEFORE ENLISTMENT.

Statement of Surgeon at Jefferson Barracks About Thomas Death.

St. Louis, Mo., Sept. 4.—The surgeon at Jefferson Barracks said this afternoon that Byron Thomas of Decatur died from the effects of some injury to his head, which he evidently received some time previous to enlisting. He was taken ill last night and died suddenly this morning while in a comatose condition.

REV. J. W. BOBB DIES AT MOLINE

Was Resident of Decatur for a Good Many Years.

Charles E. Bobb, 281 East Leafland avenue, has been called to Moline by the death of his father, Rev. J. W. Bobb, which occurred some time Saturday evening. Mr. Bobb was formerly a resident of Decatur for a good many years and was known by a good many people here. He had been ill for some time. The body is being buried at Moline.

Besides his son Charles E. Bobb, of this city, he leaves the following children: Mrs. Ota Simcox of Moline, with whom he had been making his home recently; Mrs. Snoddy of Washington, and Dan Bobb of Moline.

Mr. Bobb was sixty-nine years of age. For a number of years he was a member of the United Brethren conference and served as a pastor, but gave up active work some time ago.

DEATHS.

Jacob Gross.

Jacob Gross, of 1003 North Jordan street, died at 9:15 o'clock Monday night at the Wabash hospital. He was sixty-three years old. His death was due to kidney trouble, with which he had suffered for a long time. He had been at the hospital for the past three months.

Mr. Gross was a native of Germany, and he lived there until twenty-seven years go, when he came to America, coming direct to Decatur, and this city has been his home ever since. He was employed at the Wabash shops during the past six years and was well known among the German residents of Decatur. He was a member of St. Johannes German Lutheran church.

Mr. Gross is survived by his wife, Mrs. Gussie Gross, and five children, Leo Gross of Forest Park, August and Julius Gross, of near Decatur, Otto Gross and Mrs. Amelia Robinson, both of Decatur. The body was removed to the Moran undertaking establishment and prepared for burial.

Mrs. C. Bennett.

Mrs. Cynthia Bennett died at 4 o'clock Monday afternoon at St. Mary's hospital. She was seventy-four years old. She had been ill for a long time, suffering from complications and the infirmities of age. She had lived in Decatur for over forty years. She is survived by three sons, Edward Levy and Walter Levy of Decatur, and David Levy, of St. Louis.

The body was removed to the Moran undertaking establishment and prepared for burial.

The funeral of Mrs. Bennett will be held at 10:30 o'clock Wednesday forenoon at the Moran chapel. The services will be conducted by Rev. J. T. Finley. The interment will be in Greenwood. Friends may call at Moran's chapel from 8 to 10 o'clock Wednesday morning.

TELL CLUB OF TUBERCULOSIS

Miss Spaeth Will Speak Wednesday Night At Mt. Zion.

Miss Ida Spaeth, the tuberculosis expert nurse who is studying the situation in this county, will talk before the general meeting of the Woman's club at its first meeting of the fall Wednesday afternoon. She will tell of the situation as she sees it in this county and of what she considers the best solution of the problem before the people here.

ALSO AT MT. ZION.

Miss Spaeth will also speak at Mt. Zion Wednesday night at a meeting which is being arranged by the Red Cross branch of that place.

TO Find Mrs. E. Close.

Efforts are being made to locate Mrs. Effie Close, of Decatur in order to inform her of the death of her oldest boy in Greenville, Ill., following an operation for appendicitis.

A letter from Mrs. Ben Crump, of Greenville, Ill., a sister of the dead boy, asking for information concerning her mother were received in Decatur Tuesday morning.

The family lived in Decatur six or seven years ago, but since then has broken up

INVITATION TO SEE PICTURE

Drafted Men May See Official Movies.

To All Drafted Men in Macon County:

The Review cordially invites you as its guests to attend the 2:30 o'clock performance at the Avon theater Wednesday afternoon and witness the latest war picture, "Fighting in France," which will be shown here that day only.

Arrangements were made with the management of the Avon Tuesday to give the drafted men a chance to see this picture, free of charge. All that will be necessary for admittance to the theater is for the men to show their blue cards of notification that they have been drafted. No money or other ticket will be necessary.

The invitation includes both the city drafted men and those in the county outside of Decatur. As most of them intend being present at the big patriotic demonstration Wednesday evening, they will doubtless be in the city in time to see this picture.

This picture is highly spoken of as the official war movies of the French government.

IN CHARGE OF THE PINES WORK

Homer Turner Appointed by Railroad Y. M. C. A. Secretary.

Homer Turner, of Peoria, a graduate of Eureka College, has been appointed to take charge of the community settlement work of the Railroad Y. M. C. A. at The Pines for the coming winter by Secretary Dwight H. Stamper.

Mr. Turner comes to the local association highly recommended and authorities feel that he will made a splendid man for the place. He was in Decatur the first part of the week looking over the situation at The Pines and expressed himself as being highly pleased with the prospects there.

Mr. Turner originally comes from Taylorville, where he was graduated from the high school. He has been out of college for nearly four years and is married. He will take charge the latter part of this week.

WILL ATTEND RECEPTION

Mrs. Emmeline Beatty and Miss Barnett at Springfield.

Mrs. Emmaline S. Beatty, chairman of the Decatur unit of the women's council of national defense, will represent Decatur with Miss Grace Barnett at the two days' conference of the state council which starts Thursday afternoon at Springfield.

It is possible other Decatur women may go to the meeting. The social event of the session will be the reception to be given by Mrs. Frank Lowden Thursday evening.

WORK FOR THE RED CROSS

It is expected that the first twenty-five of the comfort bags for the drafted men will be ready Wednesday morning for the equipment which goes into them.

Women from the Oakley branch were in the Decatur Red Cross headquarters Tuesday morning studying the work and methods of making garments for the hospital service.

Max Atlass turned in $4.95 which was realized from the sale of some rags which had accumulated at the work shop and were finally gathered together and sold.

Nate Erber, of the Lincoln Square Theater, will give ten per cent of his Wednesday's receipts to the comfort bag fund.

RAIN DAMPENS - STALEY PICNIC

Many Put Off Going to Park Until Afternoon.

Rain and threatening clouds almost wrecked the plans for the first annual picnic of the Staley Fellowship club, held at Fairies park Tuesday. Many families had planned to go out in the morning and spend the day and it was thought a thousand people would be out there by noon. However, because of the weather, many put off going until later in the day.

During the morning one three car special train and two one car trains had taken the people out so that noon found about 400 picnickers there for dinner. Because of the muddy grounds, the ball game between the married and single men and the other athletic events scheduled for morning were put off until afternoon.

Will Filed.

The will of George F. Wisegarver was probated Tuesday. His brother, Smith Wisegarver, was appointed executor, and filed his bond in the sum of $20,000.

Willard Neal Funeral.

The body of Willard Neal, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Neal, arrived at 11:15 Tuesday morning from Litchfield and was taken to the family residence, 1121 East Prairie avenue, where the funeral will be held at 2:30 o'clock Wednesday afternoon. The interment will be in Fairlawn cemetery.

MEETINGS

Golden Crown Camp, R. N. A.—All members wishing to participate in the patriotic parade Wednesday evening, are requested to meet at the hall in the Powers building at 6:45 that evening.

Oneta Council, 56, D. of P.—All members are requested to meet at the hall Wednesday evening at 6:30 o'clock promptly to participate in the patriotic parade.

Independence Camp, R. N. A.—Meeting Tuesday evening in K. P. hall.

MASONIC.

Stated convocation and work of Macon Chapter No. 21, R. A. M., at Eldorado temple 7:30 tonight.

Macon Lodge No. 8 A. F. and A. M. Special meeting in Masonic temple, Water and William, Tuesday evening at 6:30, for work.

Scraps of News

MOVED.

Mrs. August Rohner has moved from 725 North Edward to 258 North Main street.

RETURNED.

Dr. Ethelyn B. Dickinson, chiropractor, returned Monday evening after having done ten days' clinic work at Chicago and Davenport.

MAY NOW LOOK.

A church member can look at the magazine covers in the shop windows now. The September numbers do not have the monotonous string of girls in bathing suits which decorated nearly every cover of the August magazines.

WEEDS.

If there is anybody to have anything to do with cutting the weeds in the parking of the first lot on the east side of Park View place, he can make quite an improvement in the appearance of that neighborhood by getting busy on the weeds. This would be an especially good time because a lot of wild lettuce is going to seed and if it isn't cut the whole neighborhood will be sown with the seeds.

SNOWBALLS.

"We are playing snowball today," writes H. N. Hansen, who is touring with the Protective League Hundred Thousand Dollar club. Mr. Hansen's post card bears the date of Aug. 31. He writes from the "Top of the World," which in this case means Pike's Peak.

Miss Edith Rieple, 1458 West Forest avenue, left Saturday for a three weeks visit at Coffeen, Ill.

MAY SAIL WEDNESDAY.

E. B. Hitchcock, secretary of the Illinois Grain Dealers association, is expected to sail Wednesday for this country from Europe. That is his plan, but relatives here do not expect definite word as to that for the arrival and departure of boats is not now made public.

BANANA TRAIN.

A banana train of 65 cars for the north on the Illinois Central Monday attracted quite a bit of attention from passengers at the station there. Banana trains are an unusual sight on this branch of the Illinois Central.

NOT KNOWN HERE.

A marriage license was issued in Chicago Tuesday morning to Clarence A. Jones, giving his residence as Decatur, and Mrs. Arma Barclay of Peoria. The name of Clarence A. Jones does not appear in the city directory.

FROM WISCONSIN.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Stumpf and Dr. and Mrs. M. P. Parrish and daughter, Frances, have returned from a ten days outing and fishing trip to Nashotah, Wis.

HEAVY TIMBERS.

The workmen are setting the timbers for the new coal dumps which are being erected at the coal shaft at the foot of East Main street. The structure is being built to carry loads as it is being framed with 10x10 timbers and plenty of them.

GRADING BEGINS.

The grading for the new garage building which L. W. Cook will erect on East Main street between Franklin and Jackson was started Tuesday.

BIGGEST SUNFLOWER.

Little Jewell Stacey, 611 South Wise street, brought to The Review a sunflower, which probably is the largest grown in Decatur this year. The matured blossom weighs eight pounds and measures seventeen inches across. Little Miss Stacey, who is eleven years old, has a garden in which she had several sunflowers planted

DICKINSON WINNER.

F. M. Dickinson, with a handicap of 20, was winner of the men's golf tournament at the Country club Monday afternoon. There were about forty entries in the tournament.

Earl Knowles spent Sunday and Monday with friends in Jacksonville.

News from Sick Beds

Mrs. J. C. Stocks, 735 West William street, who was taken to the Decatur and Macon county hospital a week ago, underwent a very serious operation there Monday morning. She is doing as well as can be expected.

Miss May Holland, 1750 North Warren, who underwent an operation at the Decatur and Macon county hospital about three weeks ago, is able to sit up a little.

Home Grown Melons.

Big musk melons, home grown and said to be fine in quality, were in the market Tuesday morning. They retailed at 15 and 20 cents each. They were very large.

Whooping Cough.

Whooping cough—Families of Mrs. Sayler, 936 West Packard; Louise Kemper, 1426 North College; C. R. Wallace, 201 8½ East William; William Davis, rear of 561 North Franklin.

MARRIAGE LICENSES

John E. Sigler, Maroa.....21
Marie Brown, Maroa.....20

New York Money.

New York Sept. 4.—Mercantile paper 5@5½ per cent.

Bar silver, 97½c.

Mexican dollars, 75c.

Time loans 5@5½ per cent.

Call money: High, 6 per cent, low 6 per cent; last loan, 6 per cent.

Toledo Seeds.

Toledo Sept. 4.—Clover seed, Prime cash, $12.00, October, $13.70; December $13.50; March, $13.42.

Alsike: Prime cash $12.30, September $12.50, October, $12.50.

Timothy: Prime cash, old, $7.65, new $4.00; September, $4.05, October, $3.90.

404 ENLISTED SINCE JAN. 1

Good Work At Local Recruiting Office.

While enlistments at the regular army recruiting office in Decatur have been rather slow during the past few days, the showing on the whole is exceedingly good. Since Jan. 1, 1917, a total of 404 men had enlisted here up to Aug. 31, according to figures compiled Tuesday morning by Corporal Robert L. Crisp, and three have enlisted since Aug. 31.

SINCE THE WAR

Of this total, 355 have enlisted since war was declared. This is an average of 71 1-3 men each month. The average since Jan. 1, is 45 1-2 men. The declaring of war boosted recruiting, and there were several enlistments every day until the draft order was issued.

Of the men enlisting at the Decatur station, 122 were from the city, and of that number 107 enlisted since war was declared.

Macon county, outside the city of Decatur, is represented by 22 enlistments since war was declared, and two enlisted before war was declared.

FROM PANA.

The city of Pana sent twenty-six men to the front through the Decatur recruiting office. Recruits have been enlisted here not only from neighboring counties, but from points outside of Illinois. Christian county has sent forty-three men through the Decatur office. Twenty-seven men who enlisted here were from other states. Kentucky leads with eight, Missouri is second with five men, Indiana, third, with four men, and Iowa, Ohio, Oregon, Mississippi and Louisiana each sent one man through this office.

GOOD WORK

The men in charge of the local office have been doing excellent work. A good many young men have secured good positions in the army by taking their advice as to certain branches in which to enlist. When a prospective recruit explains what his qualifications are, the men in charge of the recruiting office explain the various branches of the service to him so he can select one that suits him best.

AUTHORITY ON STEAM BOILERS

General Manager of Kewanee Boiler Company in the City.

M. F. Moore came in his automobile from St. Louis Sunday night and visited T. O'Brien, vice president and manager of the Leader Iron Works. Mr. Moore is general manager of the Kewanee Boiler company. He is an authority of national reputation on steam boilers and is now serving both the state and nation in the selection of boilers. He has been at the head of the investigation of boilers for all the warehouses and cantonments being put in by the government. He came up from St. Louis in his car Sunday, visited Mr. O'Brien, then went on to Bantoul Monday morning to see the aviation field.

Mr. Moore has three sons in the government service. One is in the aviation section, and two are in the officers' corps.

BOSTON DEFEATS NEW YORK 4-2

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

First Game.

New York	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	—2	5	1
Boston	0	1	0	0	2	0	1	0	x—4	6	2

Batteries—Mogridge, Shocker and Gallop and Alexander; Ruth and Agnew.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Boston	0	0
New York	0	0

Batteries: Barnes and Tragresser; Demaree and Rariden.

Cincinnati	2	0
Pittsburgh	0	0

Batteries: Toney and Wingo; Jacobs and Schmidt.

SUFFRAGISTS RENEW PICKETING

Washington, Sept. 4.—Militants of the National Woman's Party made today's procession in honor of men drafted for the National Army the occasion for more picketing of the White House. Pickets began appearing at the White House gates in pairs, and as the police arrested them others took their places. The women announced they would keep up the battle as long as the supply of pickets held out.

The supply of pickets kept steadily coming to the White House gates as fast as the police made the arrests, and an hour before the procession started ten had been taken in. The womens' manager said they had enough pickets on hand to last all afternoon.

AUTOMOBILES GAIN 70,000 OVER 1916

Springfield, Sept. 4.—The increase in the number of automobiles in Illinois this year is 70,000. Up to today there have been issued this year during the entire year 318,400 while last year there was but 248,429.

Fate Hurd Up.

Fate Hurd, who has been so desperately sick with typhoid fever, was able to be up Monday at his home, 127 Oakdale boulevard. He is still very weak, but it is expected he will regain his strength rapidly now.

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